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John Mecklenburg
"40"



Eureka!

IT HAD SEEMED AS THO WE COULDN'T
GET ANYTHING NEW AS AN IDEA FOR
THE TWENTY-FIFTH VOLUME OF OUR
ANNUAL, WHICH WAS TO BE THE

1940 *Retro*

anything

different for the



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HARTFORD CITY HIGH SCHOOL

HARTFORD CITY, INDIANA

Suzanna Howerter

Editor, Suzanna Howerter

Bus. Mgr., Don Guy

Don Guy

1940 *Retro*

*We had plenty
of material, especially*



Campus Scenes



So

WE CHOSE THE BEST . . . AND HERE

IS OUR PICTORIAL NARRATIVE

OF THE





Administration



JOSEPH C. WAGNER

With wisdom and ability, Superintendent J. C. Wagner is directing the educational destinies of the school children of Hartford City. Given a naturally progressive character, Mr. Wagner has steadily improved the community schools to a point of rich fruition.

Superintendent — Board of Education



BOARD OF EDUCATION

Hartford City is especially favored in having as its school directors intelligent, public-spirited citizens, whose first thought is always for the welfare of Hartford school children. Mr. Raymond Maddox, President, has served four years; Mr. Elmer Lucas, Secretary, newly appointed since December; Dr. H. L. Buckles, Treasurer, in service six years; Lelia V. Lewis, Clerk, is rich in the experience of school administration matters.



Lelia V. Lewis

Principal
J. B. Good

PRINCIPAL J. B. GOOD

Our Principal is Mr. Good, a busy man, alert in effort to keep the high school functioning smoothly and efficiently, attentive to the problems of teachers and students alike.



TRELLA V. BORDEN,
Assistant Principal

What would H.C.H.S. be without Miss Borden, assistant to the Principal. Her sweet disposition and thorough knowledge of the school make her a popular dispenser of information both to students and faculty.

Trella V. Borden

Assistant
Principal

Faculty

First Row: H. L. Crouse, Gladys Telle, Joseph Wagner, Trella Borden, J. B. Good, John Connelly, Mary Herbaugh, Clifford Kraning.

Second Row: Ruth Elzey, Mary Greene, Lawrence Myers, Edith Chalfant, Marian Williamson, Mabel Fee, Thelma Clark, Shurleigh Harter, Ruth Cole, J. McLean Benson, Esther Nesbit, Mary Humphrey.

Third Row: Helen Pearson, W. P. Modlin, George Telle, Floyd Warner, George Brown, Colon Parks, Richard Robbins, Foster Barr, Clyde Lucas, R. S. Parks.



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TEACHERS AND THEIR TRAINING

L. Foster Barr, B.S., Ball State Teachers College, Physical Education and Health . . . J. McLean Benson, A.B., Manchester College; A.M., University of North Carolina, Sociology, History, Civics, Economics . . . Trella V. Borden, Indianapolis Teachers College, Civics, History . . . Edith Chalfant, A.B., Indiana Central College, English, Librarian . . . Thelma Clark, A.B., Franklin College, Home Economics, English . . . Ruth Cole, A.B., Indiana University, English, History . . . John W. Connelly, B.S.A., Purdue University, Agriculture, General Science . . . Howard L. Crouse, B.P.E., Purdue University; M.S., Indiana University, Chemistry, Applied Science, Safety . . . Ruth Elzey, A.B., Western College, American History, World History . . . Mabel Fee, A.B., Ball State Teachers College, English, French . . . Mary Greene, A.B., Indiana University, Health, English, Science . . . Shurleigh Harter, A.B., Indiana University, Latin, Mathematics . . . Mary Ellen Herbaugh, B.S., Ball State Teachers College, Physical Education . . . Mary Humphrey, B.A.E., John Herron Institute, Art . . . Clifford Kraning, A.B., Manchester College, Commercial . . . Clyde Lucas, Ball State Teachers College; B.S., Indiana Central College, Biology . . . Indiana University, Mathematics . . . Lawrence Myers, B.S., Ball State Teachers College, Industrial Arts Supervisor . . . Esther Nesbit, B.M., B.M.E., M.M., Illinois Wesleyan University, Music . . . Colon Parks, B.S., Ball State Teachers College; B.S., Indiana Central College, Biology . . . R. S. Parks, A.B., M.A., University of Illinois, English . . . Helen Pearson A.B., M.A., Indiana University, Mathematics . . . Richard Robbins, B.S., M.S., Purdue University, Guidance, English, Auto Mechanics . . . George Telle, A.B., Indiana University, Mathematics, Physics . . . Gladys Telle, B.S., Ball State Teachers College, Home Economics supervisor . . . Floyd Warner, B.S., Indiana State Teachers College, History, English . . . Marian Williamson, B.S., Ball State Teachers College, Commercial.

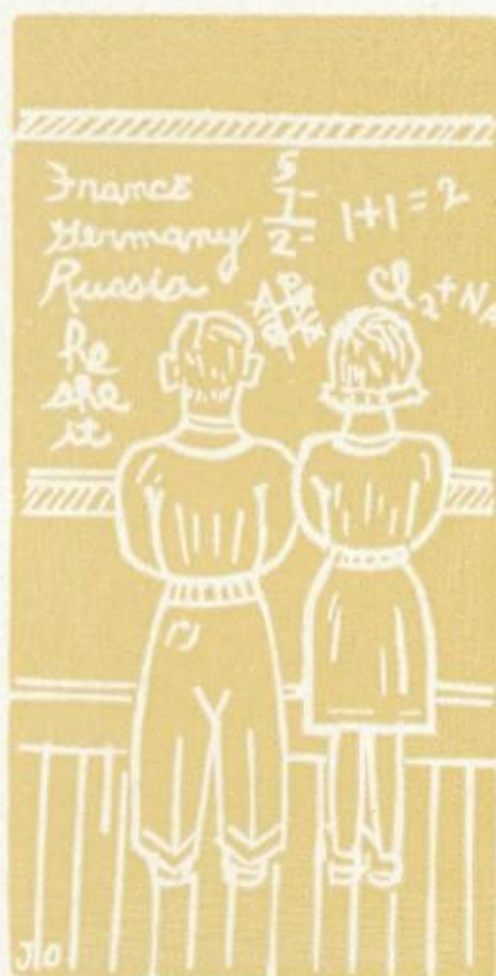
Our staff is composed of some thirty de-
greed teachers, with periods of service rang-
ing from two or three years to nearly three
decades. Each day finds them on the job,
devoted to the interesting profession of di-
recting youth's learning processes.

Faculty



And IN OUR SELECTION THERE WERE

PICTURES OF THE CLASSES, COMPOSING



THE



Student Body

Senior Officers

Tops in the class are the senior officers, for with their attitude of friendliness and sense of responsibility they have filled their positions as leaders with due regard for the welfare of the entire class.

Colors: Green and white

Flower: Sweet pea

Motto: Success at any cost

*"Dutie" Burns
To a swell girl, "Gretch."
One of the best pale ever!*

Secretary, Vera Schweier

Vice-president, Dick Coats

Treasurer, Julia Ann Burns

President, Don McVicker



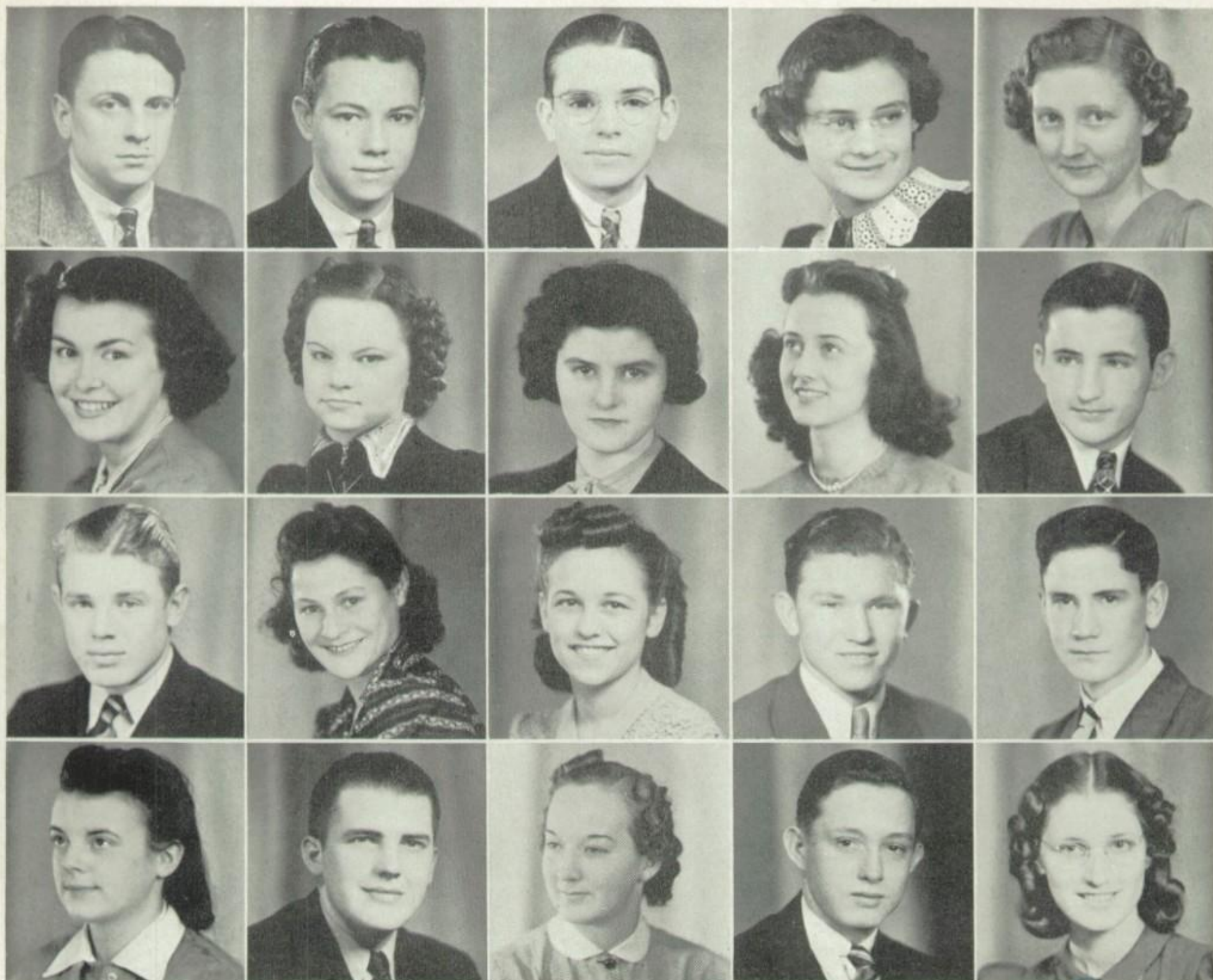
Senior Sponsors

Serving for two years as sponsors of the Class of '40, Mrs. Williamson and Mr. Robbins have given generously of their time and efforts. Members of the class will always hold in highest regard their advisers, remembering the fairness and resourcefulness with which they handled Senior Class matters, and the friendly cooperative way they entered into student activities.

*On to the National
PCC Robbins*



Mrs. Mrs. Williamson
Marion Williamson
Mr. Robbins



*Chip
Collins*

*Dorothy
Creek*



Seniors

First Row:

WILLIAM ARCHER . . . If you can't "can" your music, Bill, how about putting it in a paper box?
Band; Member of the State Trio.
JAMES R. ATKINSON . . . Who knows; I may be head of the Federal Reserve?
Baseball; Stage Manager; "Guess Again"; Hi-Y.
SIDNEY BEDWELL . . . Oh, an usher's life for me.
Legion Baseball.
EVELYN BENNETT . . . "Buck" Bennett rides again!
Girl Reserve.
HELEN BENNETT . . . I'm right behind you, "Buck".
Glee Club; Girl Reserve; Latin Club.

Second Row:

FRANCES FAUNTINE BOLNER . . . We wonder how so many musicians can be in one family?
French Club; Girl Reserve; Band.
MAXINE BROWN . . . Oh, to be a Sophomore again!
"Guess Again"; Assistant Business Manager, Retro; Social Chairman, Girl Reserve; Chairman, Senior Parties; Dramatic Club; History Club; Glee Club; Latin Club; Science Club; Head, Magazine Campaign Winners.
WILADEAN BROWN . . . How can a Senior be so dignified?
JULIA ANN BURNS . . . She's one woman who got a prize for talking.
Class Treasurer '37, '39, '40; Vice President, Girl Reserve; Secretary, Science Club; Quaestor, Latin Club; "Guess Again"; History Club; G. A. A.
ALBERT CAIN . . . It is better to have loved and lost than not to have loved at all.
Varsity; Baseball; Vice President, Class '38, '39; Classes Editor, Retro; Hi-Y; Student Council.

Third Row:

CHARLES CARSON . . . If Chili can't do it, no one can.
"Guess Again"; Noon Basketball; Jr. Life Saver.
FRANCES CHICK . . . Vim, Vigor, Vitality, is Sally.
LAVADA CLAYTOR . . . She's tiny but not shy.
RICHARD COATS . . . This "gate's" a "killer-diller".
Baseball; Basketball; Vice President '40; Assistant Sports Editor, Retro; Dramatic Club; Camera Club; Head, Magazine Campaign.
THOMAS COLE . . . "In my Merry Oldsmobile".
"Growing Pains"; President, Agriculture Club; Hi-Y; Science Club.

Fourth Row:

HARRIETT IRENE COLHOWER . . . Remember my Pig-tails?
G. A. A.; Glee Club; Girl Reserve.
RICHARD COLLINS . . . The Mad Maestro.
Band; "Guess Again"; Orchestra.
GERTRUDE E. COOK . . . If at first you don't succeed, who'll know you failed?
Vice President, Student Council; Assistant, Girls' Sports Editor, Retro; Science Club; Glee Club; Girl Reserve; History Club; Latin Club.
JAMES CREAGER . . . Don't bother me; I want to concentrate.
Secretary, Hi-Y; Vice President, Agriculture Club.
DOROTHY CREEK . . . She's the shadow of Skinny Ennis.



First Row:

LUCILE CRUMRINE . . . Here's one girl that isn't afraid of work.

BETTY LOU DENISON . . . Toss the torso to me, Toots, and let's dance.

President, Girl Reserve; Treasurer, Girl Reserve '39; Secretary, Social Science Club; Secretary, G. A. A.; Dramatic Club; Science Club; History Club; Student Council.

ETTA IRENE DeWITT . . . Hello, Joe, what do you know? "Growing Pains"; Secretary, History Club; Winner in 4-H; Glee Club; Girl Reserve.

Second Row:

RICHARD ELIKER . . . He's our "Man about town". Science Club; Hi-Y.

RUTH ELLIOTT . . . If giggles are supposed to be outgrown, Ruthie forgot to grow out. G. A. A.; Assistant Artist, Retro; History Club; Girl Reserve.

ODUS ELWOOD . . . He is a firm believer in his own opinion.

Third Row:

RAY ELZEY . . . "Oh, Suzanna!" Basketball; "Growing Pains"; Dramatic Club; Science Club.

GILVAJANE EMSHWILLER . . . She writes poetry—don't hold that against her, for it's good. Assistant Activity Editor, Retro; Algebra and Typing Contests.

ELEANOR EVERHART . . . A firm believer in the manufacturing of zippers. "Growing Pains"; Girl Reserve; Glee Club; Latin Club; G. A. A.

Fourth Row:

ELDON FLYNN . . . That wave set really did the trick, fellows. Tennis; Latin Club; "Growing Pains".

MARJORIE FORD . . . Forget-me-not. Social Science; G. A. A.

JOHN DELNOR FULTON . . . Destiny's Tot. Stage Manager, "Guess Again"; "Growing Pains"; Vice President, Hi-Y; Sports Editor, Retro; Dramatic Club; History Club.

Fifth Row:

HOWARD FUTRELL . . . "Skeeter", the dare-devil of the high-ways. Varsity Basketball.

NORMA JEAN GARVER . . . She can discuss photography with intelligence now. "Growing Pains"; Secretary, Orchestra; Typing Contest; French Club; Dramatic Club; Glee Club; Girl Reserve.

NORMAN GREENE . . . Names don't mean a thing.

Sixth Row:

JAMES GRIMES . . . Boys say, "Girls with blonde hair like Jim's could go places".

DONALD GUY . . . Little man, what now? Business Manager of Retro; "Guess Again"; Secretary, Camera Club; Program Chairman, Hi-Y; Glee Club; Student Council; Science Club.

ALICE LUCILE HALL . . . Illinois' loss, Indiana's gain.

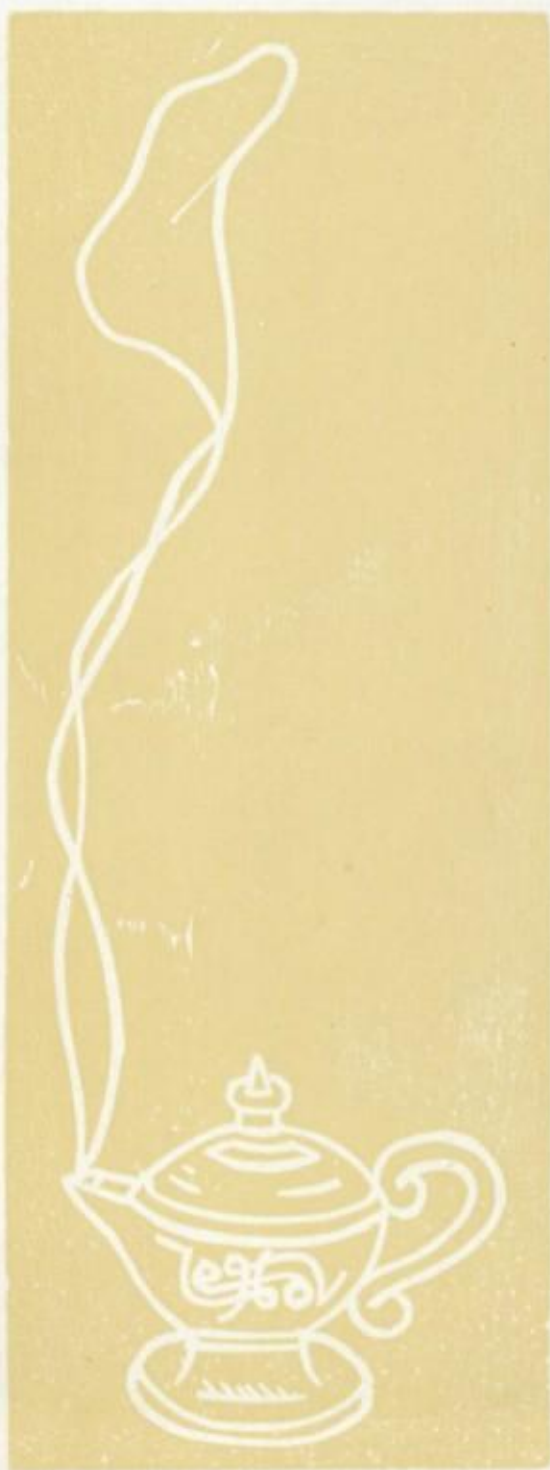
Seventh Row:

NORMA HAMMITT . . . With rings on her fingers and bells on her toes,—! Girl Reserve; Features Editor, Retro; Latin Club; French Club; History Club.

JAMES HORNBAKER . . . Another farm member. Agricultural Club.

ESTHER HORNBAKER . . . What I don't know isn't much. Girl Reserve; Glee Club.





Betty Hane



First Row:

SUZANNA HOWERTER . . . Suzie minds her P's and Q's . . . That accounts for the A's on her report card. "Guess Again"; "Growing Pains"; President, Mathematics Club; Treasurer, Girl Reserve; Editor-in-Chief, Retro; Latin Club; History Club; Dramatic Club; Glee Club; Student Council; Latin, Algebra, Geometry, Short-hand Contests.

BETTY INMAN . . . My time is his time. Girl Reserve; Glee Club; G. A. A.; Candy Girl.

RICHARD JONES . . . To win confidence one must be reliable. Math Contest; Hi-Y.

Second Row:

BETTY KANE . . . Betty is interested in the W. P. A. (Work, Powell, Activities). "Guess Again"; "Growing Pains"; Secretary, History Club.

MARION KELLOGG . . . He's a regular fellow—plug for Battle Creek.

FRANCIS KNECHT . . . Could he be interested in "Trucking"? Agriculture Club.

Third Row:

IRENE LAMBIOTTE . . . Exercise (long walks) produces rosy cheeks. G. A. A.; Latin Club; French Club; Girl Reserve.

JOE LANNOY . . . Joe's not shy—just cautious. Hi-Y.

LEONA RENNE LANNOY . . . Leona reads books on how to keep a husband without ma's cookin'. G. A. A.

Fourth Row:

FON ETTA LARMORE . . . She wasn't ill, just something she "Etta".

JOHN LIEBER . . . Close the door; there's a draft. "Guess Again"; "Growing Pains"; President, Hi-Y, '40; Treasurer, Hi-Y, '39; Photographer, Retro; Band; Orchestra.

EVA MARIE LOVE . . . Miss Borden's girl "Friday". "Growing Pains"; French Club; Dramatic Club; Office Girl.

Fifth Row:

JOHN MADDOX . . . When bigger things are to be done, I'll appoint a committee. President, Class of '39; "Guess Again"; Latin Club; Secretary, French Club; President, Science Club; President, History Club; Senior Editor, Retro; Hi-Y.

KENNETH LUZADDER . . . What does Gas City have that Hartford City hasn't? Basketball; Hi-Y.

DON McVICKER . . . Nebraska, He's your man. President, Senior Class; President, History Club; "Guess Again"; "Growing Pains"; Latin Club; Latin Contest; French Club; Dramatic Club; Algebra Contest.

Sixth Row:

JOHN MECKLENBURG . . . I love my opinion but I'd hate to start an argument.

JOHN HENRY MEDLER . . . He'll give Henry VIII plenty of competition. Baseball.

ROBERT MELICK . . . Watch out, I have big things to do. Hi-Y.

Seventh Row:

MARCELLINE MICHAEL . . . Our Bathing Beauty of 1940, "Guess Again". Girl Reserve; "Guess Again".

ROBERT MINNEMAN . . . To be or not to be—Oh, but I am! Band.

LAURA JANE MOORE . . . She appreciates a tramp in the woods.



First Row:

NEDRA O'CONNELL . . . Silence is golden—I'll cash in later.

JUNIOR OVERMYER . . . "Henry" knows his basketball but he knows his "wimmen" better.
Varsity; Baseball; Tennis; Art Editor, Retro; Hi-Y; History Club.

ROSE CAMILLE OWENS . . . Did you know that one-half the married people were men?
G. A. A.; "Guess Again"; "Growing Pains"; Assistant Editor-in-Chief, Retro; Girl Reserve; Dramatic Club; Student Council.

MARGIE R. PARKER . . . He's always thinking of you,
———!
Vice President of Class, '36.

JOSEPH E. PERRY . . . Joe can surely sling—paint.
Baseball.

Second Row:

BETTY PECK . . . This is my weakness—convertible coupes.

ROBERT PRICE . . . He'll breathe a sigh of relief when the bus line is installed.
Treasurer, Hi-Y; Latin Club; History Club; Agriculture Club; Science Club.

BETTY ALICE PURSIFUL . . . A dutiful Senior.
Girl Reserve; Latin Club. *Betty Pursiful*

BETTY JANE REED . . . Sugar and spice and everything nice.
"Growing Pains"; Girl Reserve.

CLARK N. REED . . . Elwood's loss; Hartford City's gain.

Third Row:

DeVEREL RIDGEWAY . . . Thumbs down on alarm clocks.

IMOGENE RUSH . . . I can't give you anything but love, baby.
Glee Club; Science Club; Latin Club.

LOIS MARTELLE RUSSELL . . . A mayor's son would be nice.
"Guess Again"; History Club; Girl Reserve; Student Council.

MARY LOUISE SCHEIDLER . . . Our own Prima Donna.
Assistant Editor, Classes; Girl Reserve; History Club.

VERA SCHWEIER . . . She'll like the bus line, too.
Secretary, Class, '39 and '40; Secretary, Girl Reserve, '37; Assistant Senior Editor, Retro; Secretary, Student Council, '39. *Vera Schweier*

Fourth Row:

BETTY SHORT . . . How can she be late to class and get by with it?
Assistant Features Editor, Retro; Glee Club; Girl Reserve; G. A. A.; Latin Club.

GEORGIA SHREVE . . . A quart of milk or more brings the milk man to her door.

WILLIAM J. SMITH . . . Bill travels incognito—he's one of the Ritz Brothers.

Stage Manager, "Guess Again"; Hi-Y; Dramatic Club; Photography Club.

KENNETH SMITH . . . "That 'ain't the way I heard it."
Hi-Y; Agriculture Club.

GLENN SNYDER . . . Ah, Wilderness—Pop, I need a shave.
Golf; "Growing Pains"; Hi-Y; History Club; Science Club; Photography Club.

Fifth Row:

PHYLLIS STALLSMITH . . . Jersey?—Guernsey?—She knows the difference; do you?
Girl Reserve; Dramatic Club; Science Club; History Club. *Wayne E. Steinhilber*

WAYNE E. STEINHILBER . . . Glamour Boy, Wayne.
Hi-Y; Agriculture Club; History Club; Student Council.

JACK STUMP . . . Early to bed and early to rise, never puts circles under one's eyes.
Hi-Y; French Club.

MARJORIE STUMP . . . A typical stenographer.
Faculty Editor, Retro; Shorthand Contest; Girl Reserve.

REX SVOVELAND . . . His "wild oats" are sown on North High Street.
Secretary of Agriculture Club; Local and District Corn Husking Champion; Hi-Y. *Arnold Valerin*

Sixth Row:

ARNOLD VALERIN . . . He does things the "South American Way"!
Swimming; Tennis; History Club; Dramatic Club; Hi-Y.

MAX WAGNER . . . Dude's a capital gas man.
Varsity; Baseball; Student Council.

TWINKLE WESELI . . . Are there any more at home like you?
Latin Club; French Club; Girl Reserve; Glee Club.

FRED WILLIAMS . . . What deep, dark secrets are known about Freddy and his "Chevie".
Varsity; Baseball; Hi-Y.

MARY EMMA WILLIAMS . . . I can dream, can't I?
Glee Club; Latin Club; French Club.

Seventh Row:

WILMA HOPE WILLIAMS . . . Being a candy girl, she's plenty sweet.
Candy Sales. *Wilma Woolard*

MICHAEL LEE WILLMAN . . . Mike's sisters have dimples too.
"Growing Pains"; Agriculture Club; History Club; Hi-Y.

WILMA ELIZABETH WOOLARD . . . She can sell anything from tickets to the Brooklyn Bridge.
4-H Club; Latin Club; Science Club.

MARGARET WUNDERLIN . . . Orchids, gardenias, roses—Her's for the picking.

CLIFFORD YOUNCE . . . "Old Rockin' Chair's" got me.



IN MEMORIAM



CLYDE STRAIT

Treasurer, Board of Education

Deceased, October 31, 1939

A friend to the schools and to the school
children

*We cannot say and we will not say
That they are dead—they're just away.
With cheery smile and wave of hand
They've wandered to an unknown land;
And left us dreaming how very fair
That land must be, since they linger there.*



MARSHALL STEIN
Jan. 22, 1922—Dec. 10, 1939



JOYCE STROBLE
Sept. 9, 1922—Feb. 22, 1939



BUSTER MARSHALL
Aug 24, 1922—June 16, 1936

HONOR ROLL

Helen Bennett
Maxine Brown
Julia Ann Burns
Albert Cain
Gertrude Cook
James Creager
Lucille Crumrine
Etta DeWitt
Ruth Elliott

Ray Elzey
Gilvajane Emshwiller
Donald Guy
Norma Hammitt
Suzanna Howerter
Richard Jones
Betty Kane
John Lieber
Eva Marie Love

John Maddox
Don McVicker
Betty Peck
Mary Louise Scheidler
Betty Short
Glen Snyder
Marjorie Stump
Twinkle Weseli
Mary Emma Williams

CLASS OF '40

We're the class of nineteen-forty
And we must be on our way;
We've labored thro' these twelve short years,
Which now seem but a day.

And now that our school days are o'er
We wish that we could turn
The pages of time back a bit
To the days for which we yearn.

We appreciate our teachers,
Who've been so kind and good
Although we didn't always act
The way we really should.

But now, it's time for us to part
And we must say, "Good-bye",
To friends we've met, and teachers dear
And good ol' Hartford High.

—Gilvajane Emshwiller

CLASS SONG

(Tune of Missouri Waltz)

High school days are over, and the time has come
to part
Memories will cling and long ring true in every
heart

Of days spent in studies, of days spent in sports,
Those days that we wish we could live once again.

We, the class of nineteen-forty, know not what's
ahead,

But with you behind us, Hartford High, we're not
afraid.

Your courage will bind us, your character mind
us

Till we all meet success.

—Ray Elzey

CLASS HISTORY

—Vera Schweier, Secretary

Uncertain days were before us as we began our careers as freshmen just a few short years ago. We were as green as are the leaves on the trees, and were very inexperienced, but under the guidance of Miss Kelly and Mr. Gough, we passed this stage without serious mishap. We enjoyed our first year with these class officers: President, John Reasoner; Vice-president, Margie Parker; Secretary, Junior Overmyer; and Treasurer, Julia Ann Burns, piloting our ship of learning.

Then came the long awaited time. We were Sophomores. As such, however, we were soon jolted into a realization that what we knew really wasn't very much after all. Perhaps Miss McGeath and Mr. Kraning as thoroughly as any made us aware of that. Which was all right too; for isn't the first step toward wisdom to know that you don't know? That second year our class offices were filled entirely by boys, with the girls lending moral support. We had as President, Junior Overmyer; Vice-president, Fred Williams; Secretary, Albert Cain; and Treasurer, Richard Collins.

As Juniors our only thought was, Now, just one more year to go, then—Seniors! We made ready for that year by working as real Juniors should. Mrs. Williamson and Mr. Robbins helped us through some pretty trying times. They were assisted by President, John Maddox; Vice-president, Albert Cain; Secretary, Vera Schweier; and Treasurer, Julia Ann Burns.

Then came our inning. At last we were Seniors! What a long struggle it had been. But we sur-

vived. And it was worth it. Mrs. Williamson and Mr. Robbins are again guiding us patiently and well over the rocky path of progress. Our officers have contributed much toward making this a successful year. President, Don McVicker; Vice-president, Dick Coats; Secretary, Vera Schweier; and Treasurer, Julia Ann Burns. Now that we are almost through with high school, we Seniors realize

that we have a future to face—a future that must be faced alone. We salute Hartford City High School. We believe that our attendance in that grand school has put us more in the way of getting the most from the years ahead.

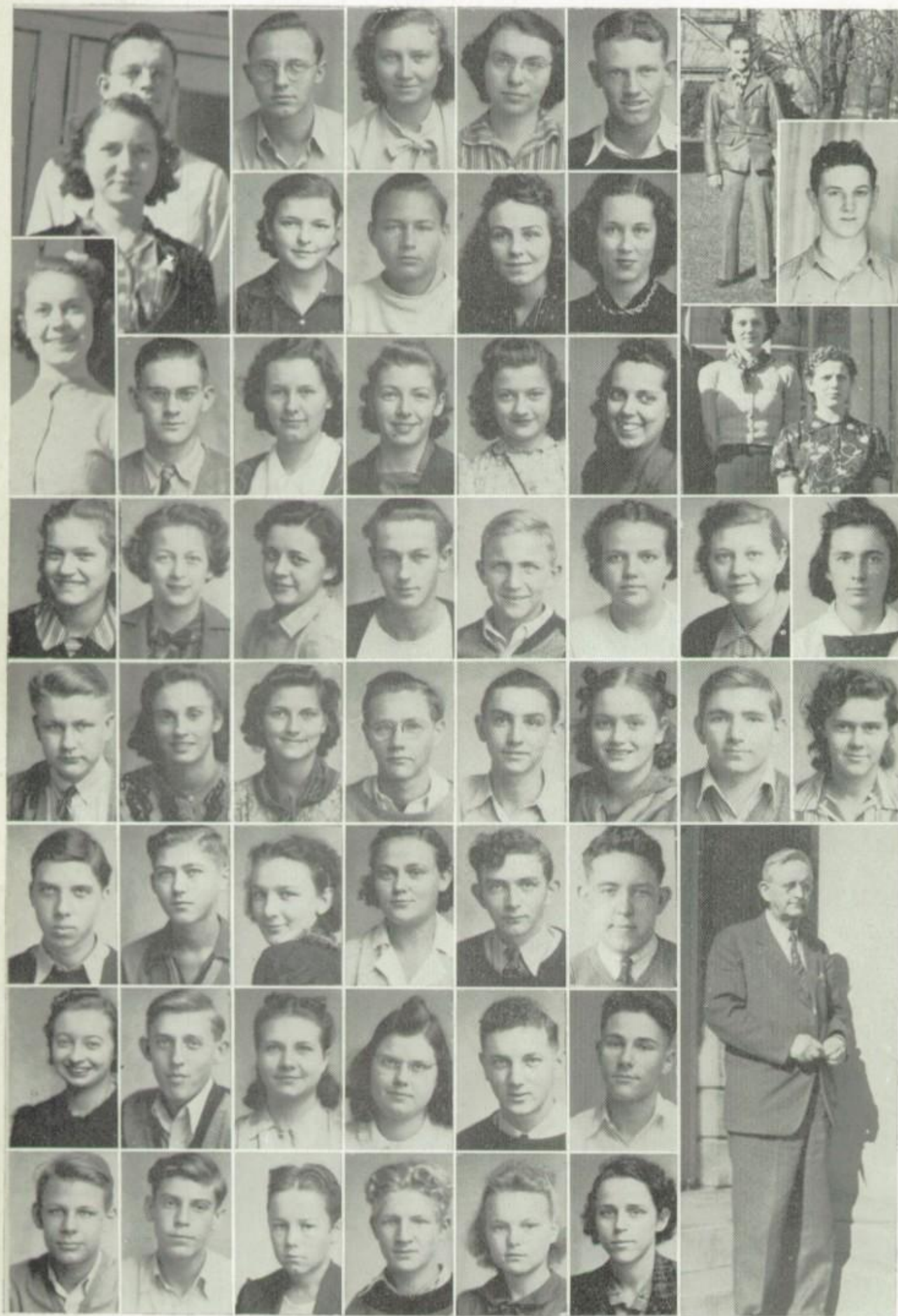
ANNETTE PETERS
—a past member of
the Class of '40, since
moved to New York
City. Best wishes to
you, Annette!



Juniors

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First row: Don Archer, Alice Armitage, Doris Beerbower, James Beason.

Second Row: Marion Bell, Merrill Bolner, Margaret Bowen, Mary Brandt.

Third Row: Joe Bonham, Rosalie Brogneaux, Dorothy June Buckles, Roberta Canter, Carol Cartwright.

Fourth Row: Jean Charnley, Vanda Clamme, Hazel Colhower, Bob Constable, Charles Cook, Betty Coons, Mamie Coons, Betty Creager.

Fifth Row: Joe Deihl, Betty Doster, Gladys Edwards, John Flynn, Bruce Frahm, Patty Gable, Phillip Gable, Frances Garr.

Sixth Row: Junior Girod, Richard Gross, Earline Groves, Lillian Haag, Andrew Harris, Morris Hayden.

Seventh Row: Jean Headley, Norma Jean Helm, Mary Ellen Hogan, Bob Johnson, Bud Joyce.

Eighth Row: Jack Kimball, Harry King, James Kinser, Thomas Knight, Virginia Lambert, Evelyn Landis.

First Row: Bill Long, Virginia Markin, Walter Markin, Patricia Mauller.

Second Row: Gretchen Mecklenburg, Ruth Miller, Harold Mills, Bob Moll.

Third Row: Mary Monfort, Marjory Moore, Nathan Moore, Jean Morris, Virginia Myers.

Fourth Row: Phyllis Myers, Jim McCune, Irene Overmyer, John Overmyer, Julia Overmyer, Harry Pace, Evelyn Parker, Paul Pemberton.

Fifth Row: Pauline Reamer, Anna Jean Rich, Virginia Risinger, Lawrence Robinson, Joe Ruble, Ruth Russell, Maxine Shawhan, Bob Shawhan.

Sixth Row: Don Shreck, William Sills, Norman Slater, Helen Smith, Pascal Smith, Alma Spaulding.

Seventh Row: Ruby Strine, Clayton Stump, Ed Turner, Wanda Tattman, LeRoy Taylor, Martha Thomas.

Eighth Row: Melva Jean Sussman, Josephine Timmons, Vernon Townsend, Bob Trussell, Ruby Trussell, Marion Williams, Thelma Wilson.



Left Page: Upper left, Walter Markin, Patricia Mauller, Phyllis Myers. Upper Right, Joe Bonham, President; Bob Johnson, Vice-president; Mary Monfort, Secretary; Ruth Miller, Treasurer. Lower Right, Mr. Telle, class sponsor.

Right Page: Upper Left, Ruth Russell, Morris Hayden, Gladys Edwards. Upper Right, Ruby Trussell, Bob Shawhan, Jim McCune. Lower Left, Miss Cole, class sponsor.

Bob Shawhan



First Row: Jueldean Barker, Violet Bates, Junior Beason, Betty Beason, Tom Bennett.

Second Row: Earl Bicknell, Yvonne Blair, Thomas Bolner, Norma Jean Bowdell, Marjorie Boyles.

Third Row: Claude Brant, Beverly Brown, Billy Bunch, Charles Cameron, Maralyn Canaday, Richard Carlo, Harold Russell Cheney, James Robert Cheney, Jack Chick.

Fourth Row: Elsie Clamme, Robert Clevenger, Fred Clevenger, Ethel Mae Cline, Evelyn Cole, James Cooper, Paul Cooper, Robert Cronin, Juanita Crouse.

Fifth Row: June Darst, Betty Day, Rita Dieser, James DeWitt, Richard Dodds, James Dolan, Glen DuBois, Robert Egnew, Bill Ervin.

Sixth Row: Earl Everhart, Frank Everhart, Victor Felger, Charlotte Fennig, Patty Fields, Bernice Fisher, Robert Flatter, Bob Frahm, Molly Jane Fulton.

Seventh Row: Eugene Futrell, Marcella Futrell, Jeanette Garver, Raymond Gilbert, Gale Good, Paul Greene, Warren Williams.

Eighth Row: Jack Harden, Dorothy Hart, Pat Hendricks, Nelva Jeanne Hoehamer, Joanne Honey, Robert Hoover, Thurl Willmann.

Ninth Row: Robert Hornbaker, Eugene Houseman, Lewis Howell, Bob James, Doris Jones, Lester Jones, Betty Huffman.

Sophomores

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Left Page: Upper Left, Fred "Scud" Miller. Upper Right, Jim Maddox, Bill Ervin, Judith Rawlings. Lower Right, Mr. Warner, class sponsor.

Right Page: Upper Left, Marjorie Boyles, Secretary; Paul Werry, President; Dick Lyons, Vice-president. (Eugene Mills, Treasurer). Upper right, Helen Miller, Patricia Schweier. Lower Left, Miss Greene, class sponsor.

First Row: Virgil Kellogg, Pauline Kirkpatrick, Charles Knecht, Ruth Lake, Georgette Lambiotte.

Second Row: Joyce Landaker, Fred Landis, Rollan Landis, Richard Lanning, Reva Leist.

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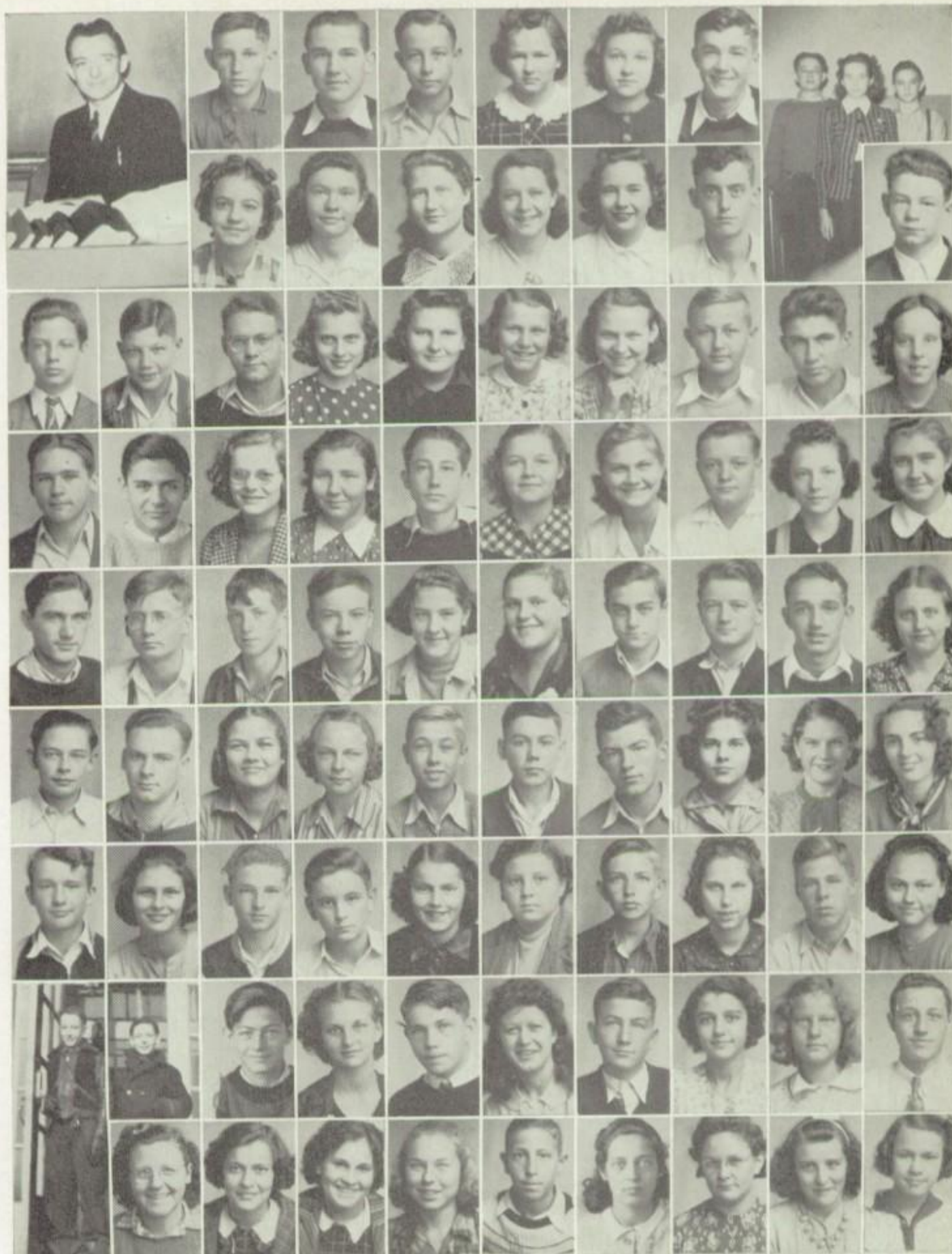
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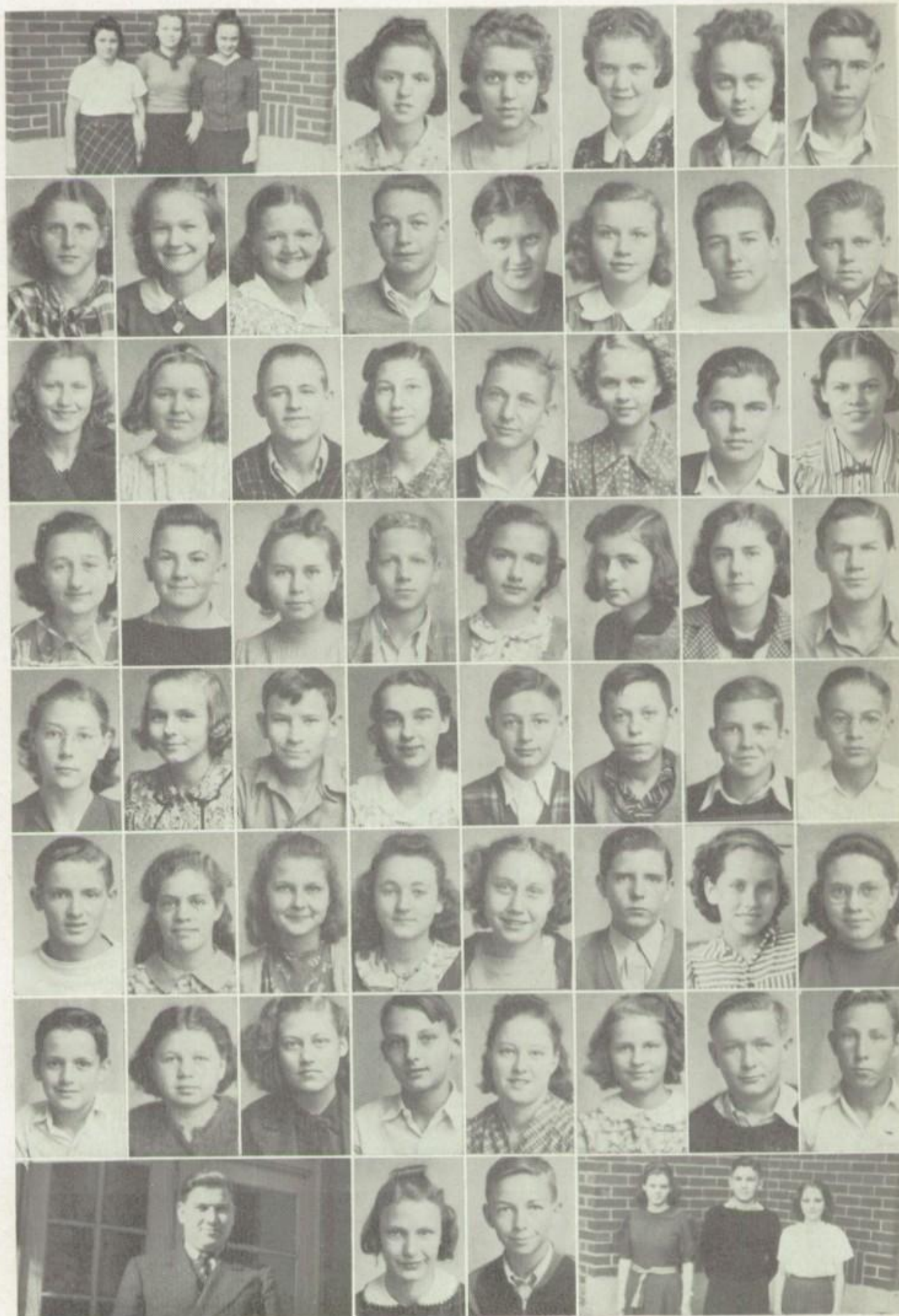
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OUT OF WHICH GROW . . .

. . . *Student Leaders*



... And Contest Winners



Don McVicker—popular president of the Class of '40.

Bill Ervin and Phyllis Myers represented our school in the State Mathematics Contest last year.

Betty Denison, president of Girl Reserves.

Don Guy has a busy year as Business Manager of the Retro.

President of the Science and History Clubs, John Maddox is prominent in the affairs of the school.

Phyllis Myers and Norma Hammitt, winners of the local Latin contest, Division II, participated in the county contest. After winning this contest, Phyllis was entered in the district contest at Ball State.

Rex Swoveland—our corn-husking champ.

Active in school affairs is Bob Shawhan, president of the Student Council.

John Lieber, president of Hi-Y.

Martha McColly and Don McVicker won the local Latin Contest, Division I. From there, Don advanced to the district contest at Muncie.

Lucille Crumrine, Gilvajane Emshwiller, Suzanna Howerter, Norma Jean Garver, and Marjorie Stump represented Hartford High in the state commercial contests.

Meet the winning team of the magazine campaign. They are, kneeling—Fred Williams, Sidney Bedwell. Standing—Wilma Woolard, John Medler, Violet Clark, Joe Huggins, Mary Louise Scheidler, Wilma Williams, Howard Futrell, and Lieutenant Maxine Brown.

Winner of the D. A. R. Citizenship Award and the Blackford County Oratorical Contest, we salute Julia Ann Burns!

Joe Bonham is the energetic president of the Class of '41.

Our comely and dexterous drum majorettes, Janice Hayden and Maralyn Jenner.

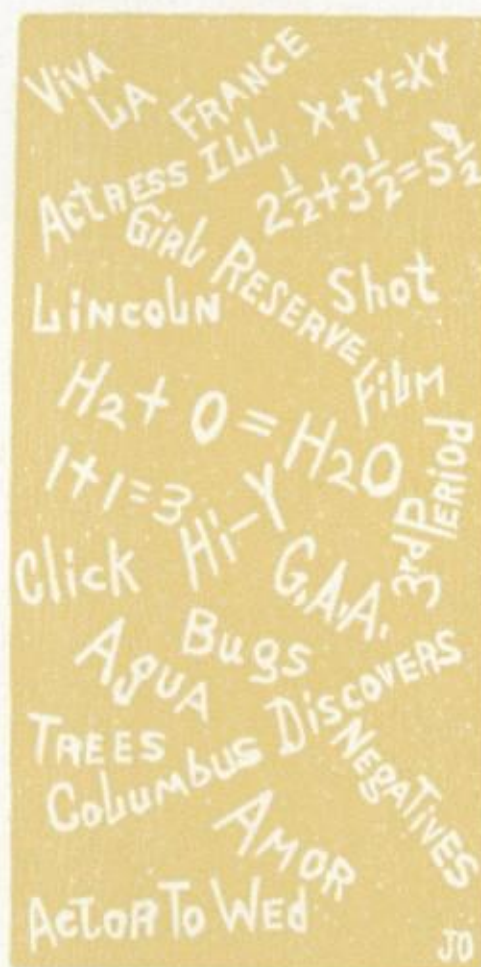
Junior Overmyer—the winner of the Senior High tennis tourney.

Morris Hayden—the smiling cameraman.

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Retro Staff



The preparation of a year book requires months of diligent work. The probable cost of the entire publication is determined. Plans, or general pattern for the book must then be laid, after which follow endless strivings for good pictures and fresh ideas in the copy. Although we have labored, we have had joy in bringing out a Retro that, we trust, will provide a warm, graphic memory of your 1939-1940 school year.

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Jr.-Sr. Prom

The main event of the year and by far the most delightful was the Junior-Senior Prom, held on May 19. Students and faculty enjoyed a delicious banquet at the Grace Methodist Church, where music was furnished by the Rex Arlington Ensemble and Taylor University quartet. At intervals during the meal, group singing heightened the already gala atmosphere. John Maddox, President of the Juniors, welcomed the Seniors, and Eugene Alexander responded in behalf of the guests. After the banquet, a beautiful dance at the high school lent charm to the perfect ending of the school's most colorful event. Decorations expressed a version of a spring garden, over which hung a large yellow moon. Paul Davis' orchestra furnished the music. John Maddox and Julia Ann Burns led the grand march, followed by Eugene and Bonnie. Altogether, the Junior-Senior was a memorable conclusion to the months of anticipation experienced by every student of the two classes.



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Leadership— Hi-Y

Each year many boys find profitable membership in the school's oldest organization, the Hi-Y Club. The motto: "Clean speech, clean living, clean sports", eloquently expresses the purpose of this fine society.

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Morris Hayden, Russell Sutton, Howard Robinson, Don Guy, Jim McCune, John D. Fulton, John Lieber, Mr. Benson, James Creager, Eugene Mills, Thomas Bolner, Fred Miller, Raymond Gilbert.

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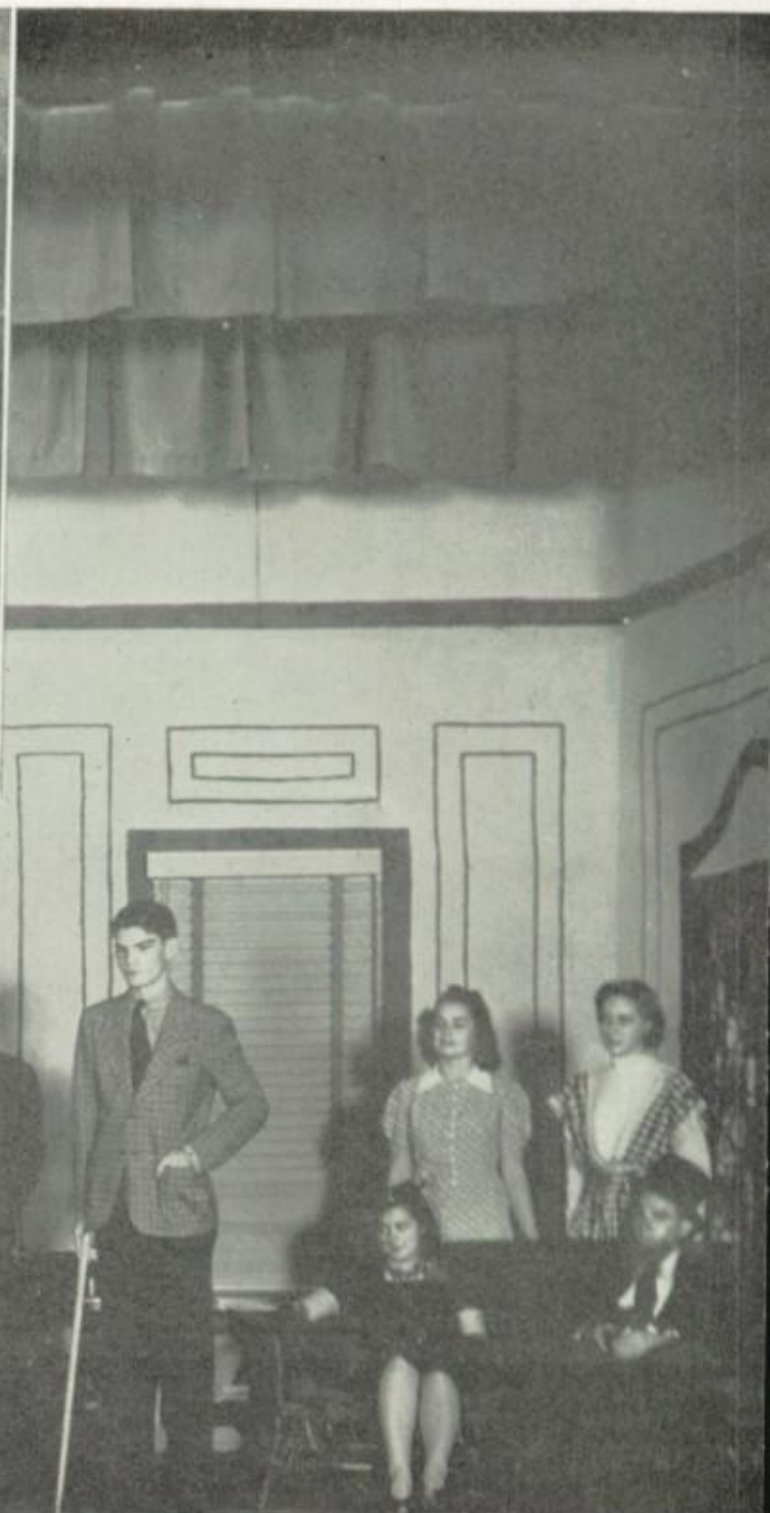
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Sr. Class Play ----- "GUESS AGAIN"

It was spring at Edgewater Inn, a summer resort which was not only on the seashore, but also "on the rocks". Manager Grimes had been forced to mortgage the inn to "Soak 'em Hard" Pratt, a big banker. Plenty of comedy was supplied by Waldo Fitts, the half crazed porter whose delight was to imitate actors, and Olive Ordway, the health faddist. A touch of romance was added by Bill, a college graduate with plenty of big business ideas who wanted a job, and Janet, the attractive business helper at the inn. Two non-paying guests, Mrs. Skinner and her saucy daughter, Dora Mae, added to the confusion and the bills.

When Lord Wiggleton arrived with his valet, Bertie Blodgett, there was a mad rush to have him stay at the inn. The fact that the Lord was staying at Edgewater attracted scores of people, among them Lulu Perkins and Marcella Jenks, the journalistic girl wonders, and Sol Messer, the movie magnate. Nobody knew Lord Wiggleton and his valet had switched positions to misdirect publicity; however, the news finally leaked out and then no one knew for sure which was the real Lord. To escape the confusion, the Lord and his valet disappeared, after which Bill and Waldo impersonated them in order to save business. The trouble ensued when they couldn't decide which was to be the Lord and which the valet, so when the real Lord and valet returned there were four Englishmen claiming to be Lord Wiggleton. Further to complicate matters, a Hollywood flirt, named Renee Lamour, threatened to sue Bertie when she discovered he wasn't the real Lord. However, she was quieted with a cash settlement. Finally everything was settled: the mortgage was paid, Sol landed his contract, Bill won a job and his girl, the newspaper reporters got their stories, and life went on as usual at the properous little Edgewater Inn.

Suzanna Howerter, Julia Ann Burns, Lois Russell, Maxine Brown, Richard Collins, John Lieber, Don Guy, Bud Joyce, John Maddox, Don McVicker, Betty Kane, Rose Owens, Marcelline Michael, Charles Carson.



Jr. Class Play ----- "GROWING PAINS"

Professor and Mrs. McIntyre were having a hard time trying to understand the adolescent tendencies of their children, and well they might: George, their son, after begging (and receiving) a ram-shackle car, had fallen for the new girl, Prudence. Terry, their daughter, tried to play with her brother and his friends, Dutch, Brian, Omar, Hal, and Pete, but finding she was not wanted, turned to vamping the boys as Prudence had done. Complications arose at a party the two gave when Mrs. Patterson invited her daughter, plain little Elsie, to the party, when Dutch's girl-friend, Patty, crashed the party to bawl him out, and finally, when George was arrested for speeding. By the day after the party, Terry had resumed her natural self, and her friends, Patty, Jane, and Miriam came to talk over the situation. George was released from jail and started life with a new vigor when introduced to Vivian, a new local siren.

Left to right: John Fulton, stage manager, Norma Jean Garver, Rose Owens, Annette Peters, Michael Willman, Paul Edwards, Don McVicker, Eleanor Everhart, Suzanna Howerter, Betty Reed, Bill Smith, LaVada Claytor, Tom Cole, Eldon Flynn, Betty Kane, Glen Snyder, Eva Marie Love, Etta DeWitt, John Lieber, and Mrs. Williamson and Mr. Robbins, class sponsors.



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Fourth Row: Bob Murphy, Calvin Waters, Billy Bunch, Frances Garr, Patricia McCaffrey, Gloria Newberry, Geraldine Royce, Mary Wrestler, Patricia Crouse, Bob Secrest.

Fifth Row: Howard Bell, Junior Ford, Hugh Scott, Bob Knoderer, Jim DeWitt, Jack Harden, Dorothy Schmidt, Lois Mannix, Ida Girod, Marsha Moore, Glen DuBois.

What We Wanted to Say

CALENDAR FOR YEAR

Busy year . . . much to do . . . parties to go to . . . plays, ball games, programs to attend . . . club meetings . . . activities for all . . . studies (sometimes neglected)

Beginning of it all? September 11—the first day of school. Also in the opening month: the first Senior class meeting . . . G. A. A. officers elected . . . tennis team at Fairmount . . . Reverend Wilson spoke to health class . . . magazine campaign of Seniors . . . Fairmount tennis team—our quests . . . school parade . . . visit to Sneath Glass Factory . . . first meeting of Girl Reserve . . . Band officers elected . . . Junior Overmyer won tennis tourney . . . Orchestra officers elected . . . Dick Anderson won Junior High tennis tourney

October: Senior class play cast chosen . . . advisories changed . . . Band and Orchestra picnic . . . Junior class officers elected . . . RETRO Staff announced . . . commencement invitations chosen . . . Junior class rings selected . . . Girl Reserve officers elected . . . Student Council members elected . . . Fire prevention talk . . . health classes on tour of sewage plant . . . Junior class party . . . Mr. Benson's civics classes' hay-ride . . . Freshmen officers elected . . . Senior class play—matinee and night performances . . . Teacher's Institute . . . first Dramatic Club meeting . . . History Club officers elected . . . Girl Reserve's initiation . . . Mr. Strait passed away



About the Year

November: Beginning of the basketball season . . . School equipped with new blinds . . . French Club officers elected . . . First Hi-Y meeting . . . end first six weeks, report cards . . . Armistice Day program . . . yell leaders chosen . . . first Math Club meeting . . . Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde by Mr. Bale . . . Hi-Y and Girl Reserve party . . . Thanksgiving holiday . . . magician's program . . . Hi-Y initiation

December: Science Club officers elected . . . RETRO campaign starts . . . grade cards again! . . . Senior party . . . Scout circus . . . Indianapolis conference for history students . . . school paper issued . . . Aloha Baker lectured . . . Sophomore officers elected . . . Marshall Stein deceased . . . Christmas Cantata . . . Student Council officers elected . . . Dramatic club officers elected . . . G. A. A. to Warren . . . honor roll again . . . school dismissed for Christmas vacation

January: Airedales won Blind Tourney at Berne! . . . School resumes after holidays . . . forum held . . . Home Economics club officers elected . . . end of first semester . . . Wilfred Hetzel, world famous trick basketball shot here to perform . . . hearing tested . . . oratory contest

February: baton twirler's demonstration . . . new Band officers elected . . . Math club officers elected . . . school closed because of flu . . . Sparr Brothers Circus . . . life saving exercises start . . . Purdue short course . . . school library enlarged . . . Mario Capelli's program . . . J. J. Hogan presented moving picture "Along the Lincoln Trail" . . . club pictures taken for year book

March: Dramatic club representatives to Terre Haute at Speech Arts festival . . . Sectional Tournament . . . last Senior class party . . . Senior class meetings . . . Latin contest . . . Spring vacation . . . Mathematics contest . . . more senior class meetings for vocational guidance programs . . . Sophomore class party . . . Society of Zoology Program . . . Dramatic Club to Montpelier . . . Band members to Berne

April: General Motors Scientific program . . . Junior benefit show . . . Character week . . . Freshman class party . . . Girl Reserve banquet . . . Junior Class play . . . Hi-Y banquet . . . Band contest at Huntington
May: Hobby Day . . . Exhibit . . . Junior-Senior banquet and prom . . . Baccalaureate with Rev. Fox speaking . . . Alumni dance . . . Kiwanis banquet for Seniors . . . Class Day . . . Commencement with Dr. Crane from Detroit as speaker . . . school's out again!

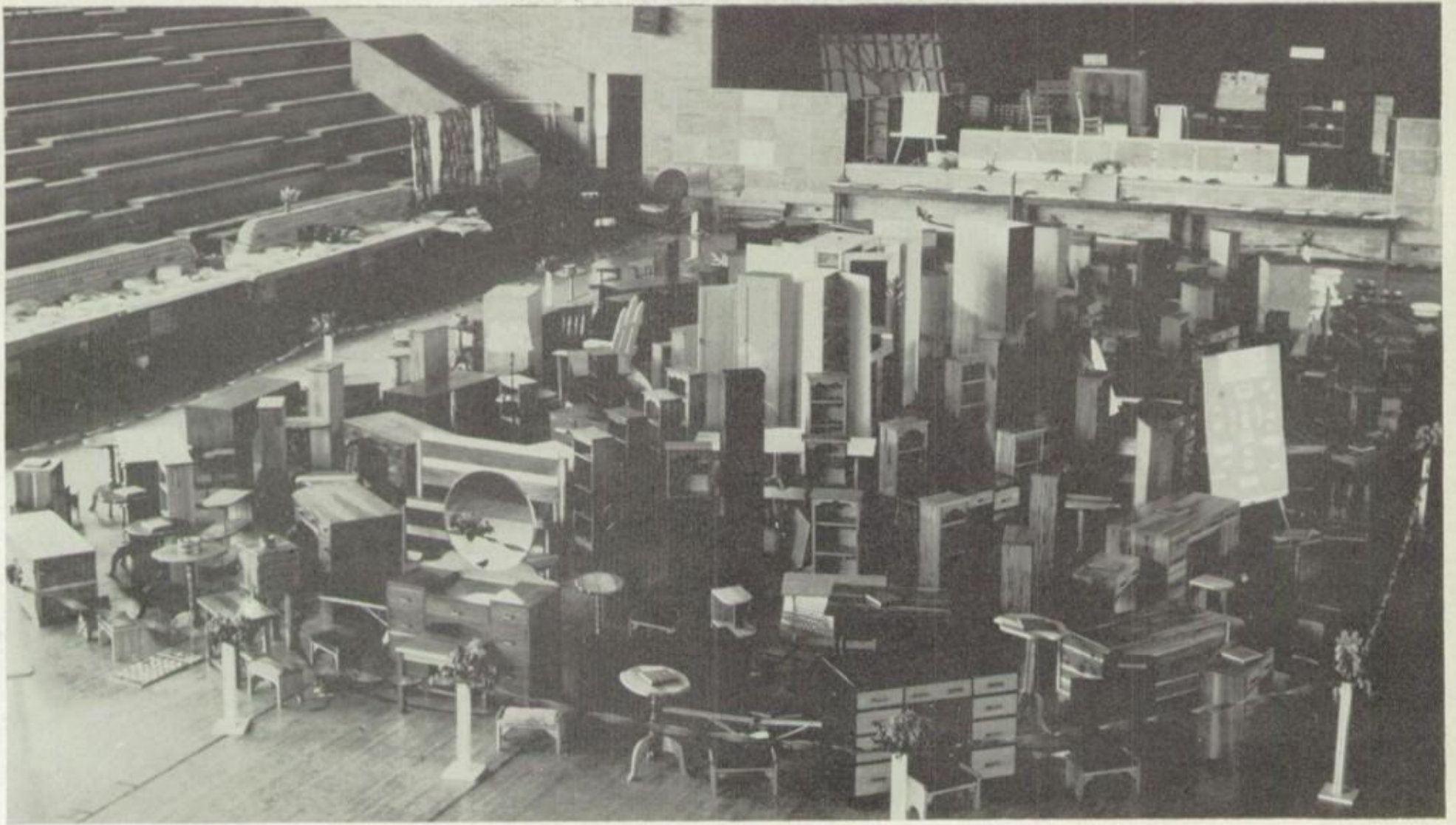
Norma Hammitt, Features Editor

Betty Short, Associate

Jesse Ebey



Bert Thumby



1939 INDUSTRIAL AND FINE ARTS EXHIBIT

Even principals must have their breath of air.

A brief nap is so refreshing, isn't it, Chip?

A scene in the swimming pool.

Meet our teachers of the finer arts: Miss Nesbit, voice; Mr. Lucas, band and orchestra; Miss Humphrey, art.

You'll find them anywhere. Our caretakers, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Kellog, Mr. Elzey, and Mr. Thornburg.

Betty Short, Frances Lyons, and Marie Love have proved to be very efficient office girls.

This is Fred Williams as a baby, holding an Airedale pup. Freddy certainly took a fancy to the Airedales at an early age!

John Fulton—stage manager of "Growing Pains" and "Guess Again".

Vera Schweier—secretary of the Class of '40.

The Airedales are off again!

Mr. Robbins and Dick Coats, chairman of the senior class magazine campaign, look over the receipts of a busy day.

The two Archer wonders—Don and Bill. They've been winning band contests from the beginning of time.

Mr. Benson, popular new member of the faculty, is the sponsor of the Hi-Y Club.

Patty Gable, Bud Joyce, and Gloria Pruden, our cheering trio, demonstrate their vocal strength.

The Camera Club takes a lesson on how to make the subject sit still.

Tally ho!

Miss Harter and Miss Pearson have been congenial and inspiring as Girl Reserve advisers.

Camera

Final AND VERY IMPORTANT INSIGHTS OF

OUR SCHOOL LIFE WE FOUND IN A SEL

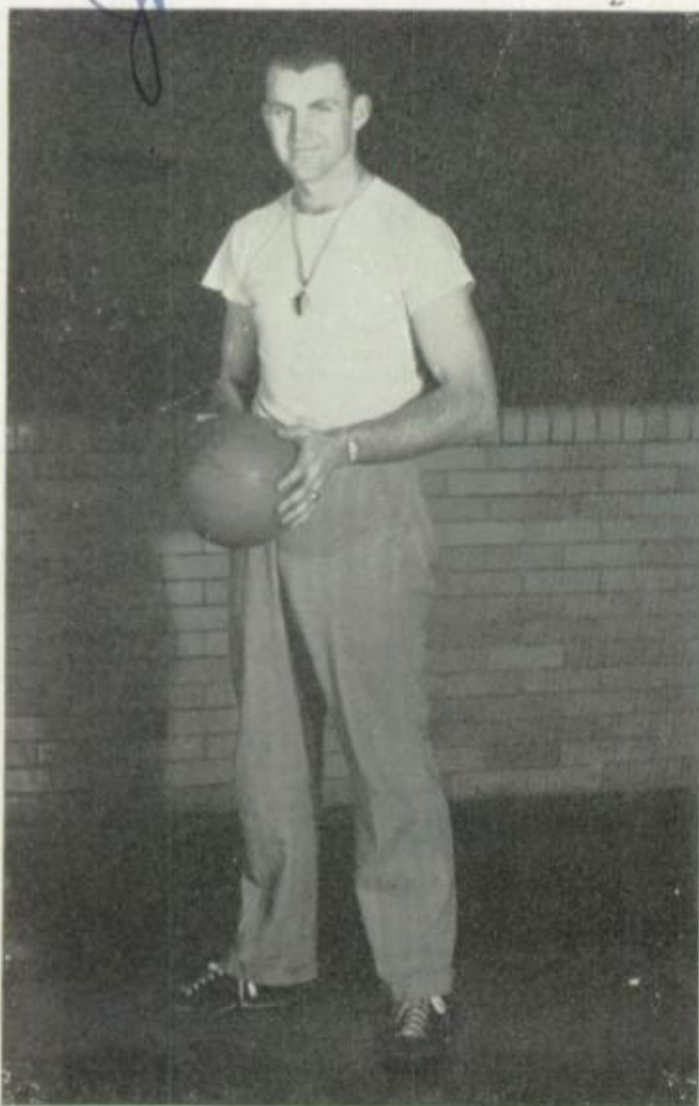
LECTION OF





Sports

Coaching Staff



Sports, the most fascinating, exciting activity of our school, helps our students to develop their bodies and minds. Acting as efficient guides are

Coach Foster Barr is a former Hartford City High School ball star, having played center on the 1930 team. His record is laudable: chosen center of the All-Section and All-Regional mythical teams, a strong center of the Cardinals, with practical experience in coaching at Waterloo, Indiana, before returning to his home school.

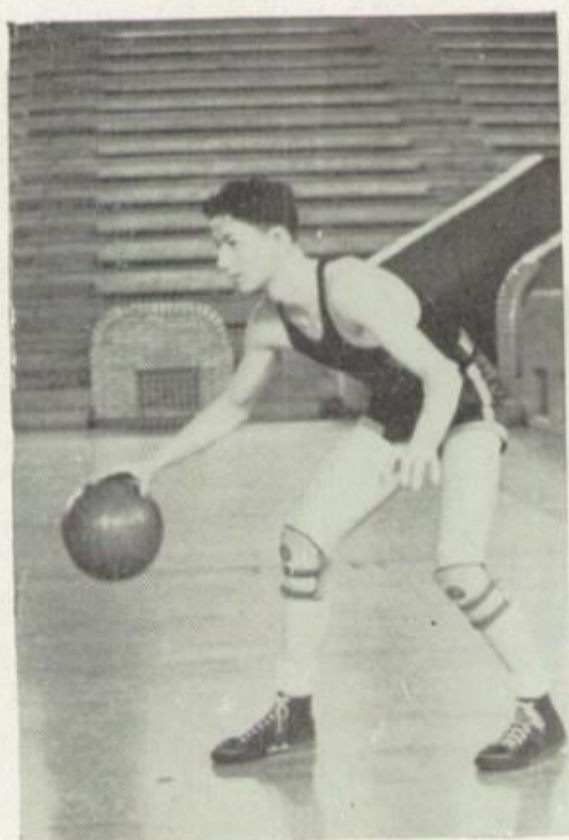
Clifford Kraning, with experience as coach of boys' intramurals and Junior High basketball has, in the emergency of Mr. Barr's illness, ably directed the Airedales during the trying period of the Sectional Tournament. This is Mr. Kraning's third year at Hartford.

Replacing Catherine Cloud, Mrs. Ellen Herbaugh, supervisor of girl's athletics and sports, comes to us with experience from Normal College of American Gymnastics Union and Ball State Teacher's College. Her favorite sport, she says, is swimming.

H. L. Crouse directs boy's swimming and tennis. His engaging personality makes Mr. Crouse a friend and confidant of his students. He has taught at H. C. H. S. five years.

Kiwanis Sportsmanship Award

Max Wagner



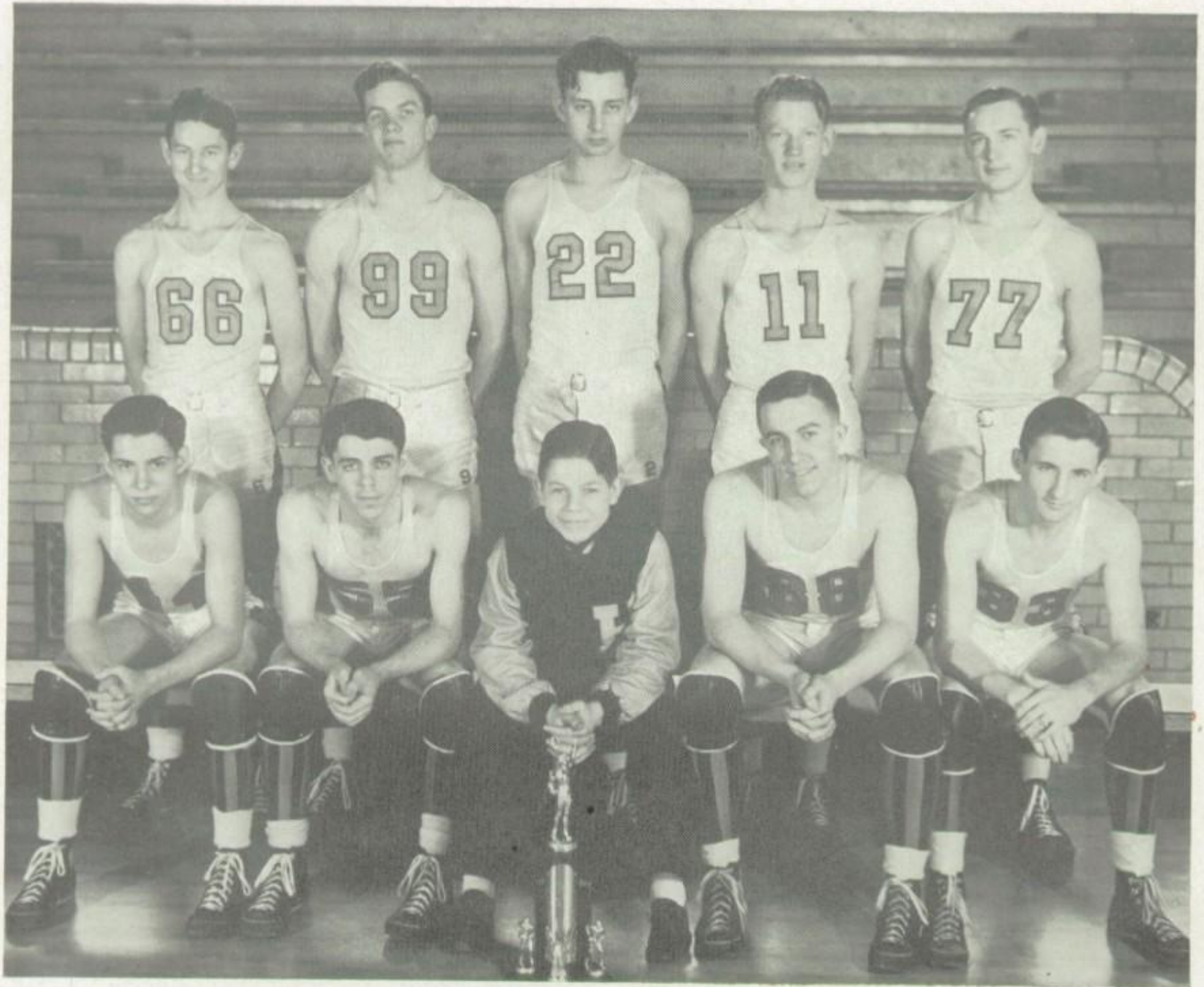
We congratulate Max Wagner for qualities of character that won for him the most coveted athletic honor the community has to offer its high school boys, the K.S.A. Like award winners who have gone before him, Max is a gentleman and a true sportsman. We are glad for him; we are proud of him.

K.S.A. winners of other years:

1928 Robert Marchal
1929 Clyde Babbitt
1930 Byron Huggins
1931 Harry Bohr
1932 William Pettit
1933 Kenneth Dorton
1934 Richard Dorton

1935 Richard Bougher
1935 William Crites
1936 Clyde Fulton
1937 Frank Wunderlin
1938 Eldon Campbell
1939 Eugene Alexander

Our Airedales



First Row: Bill Long, Fred Williams, Fred Miller, Student Mgr., Bob Shawhan, Albert Cain.

Second Row: Max Wagner, Ray Elzey, Howard Futrell, Jim Beeson, Junior Overmyer.

Individual Players . . .

Albert Cain



JR. OVERMYER



MAX WAGNER



ALBERT CAIN

Overmyer

JUNIOR OVERMYER

This is Junior's second year. Overmyer has a great eye for the basket and his left hand is always on the go for a left hand pivot shot to score.

MAX WAGNER

The second year for Max on the varsity. He has shown great ability as a forward. Both years on the team he was a high scorer. He will be lost to us next year.

ALBERT CAIN

As a forward Albert had more than average ability. His value on the team has been shown time and again. The team is very much indebted to him. A Senior, he will be lost this year.

Fred Williams



FRED WILLIAMS



BILL LONG



HOWARD FUTRELL



RAY ELZEY

FRED WILLIAMS

Freddy, one of the "Bright lights of the team", constantly embodied the "do or die" spirit. As a Senior guard and team captain, his position next year will be extremely hard to fill.

HOWARD FUTRELL

"Skeeter's" height made him all around good basketball material. His graduation leaves another vacancy on the team.

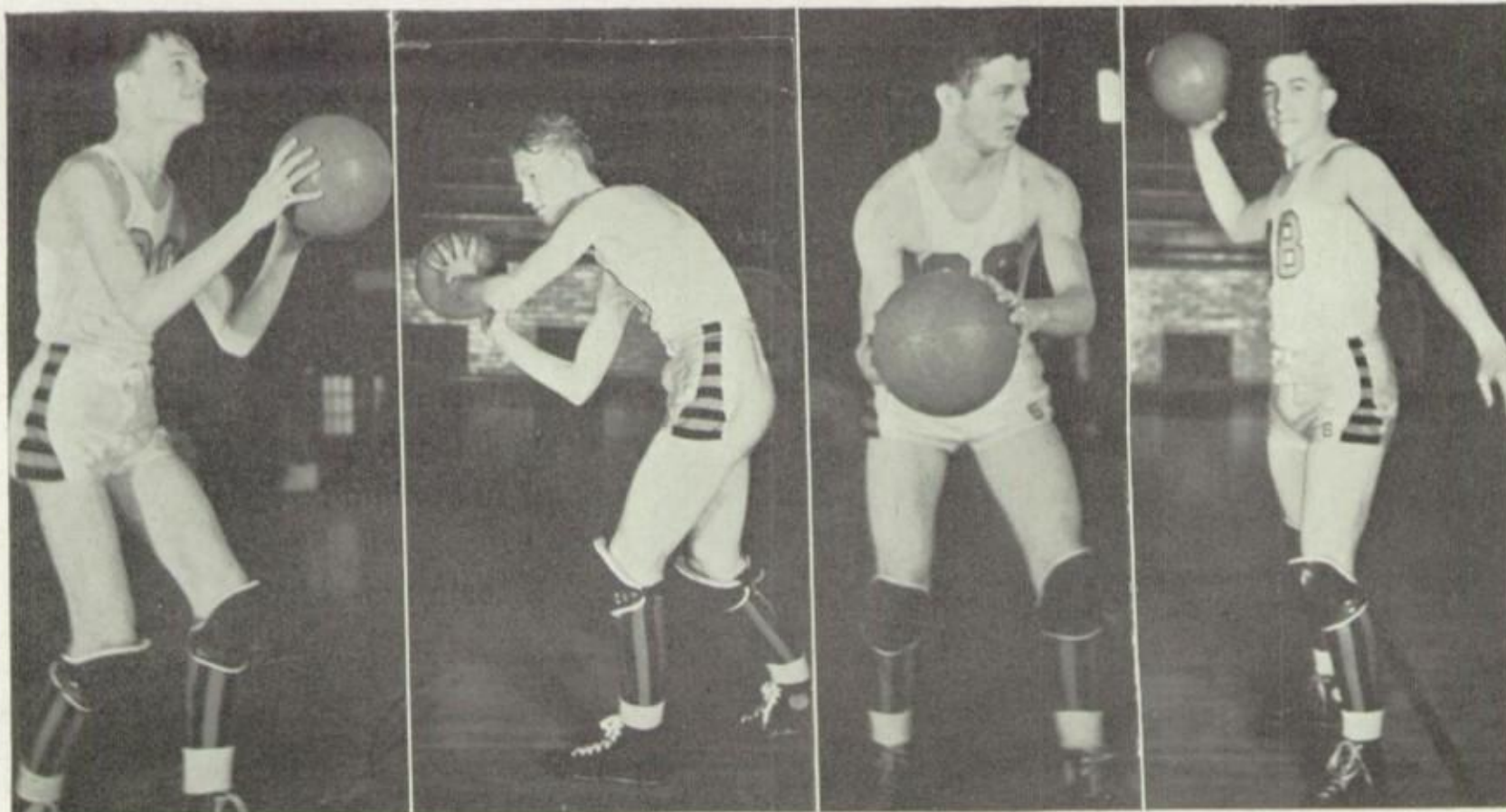
BILL LONG

Bill has a sharp eye for the baskets. Fortunately for the school, Bill is a Junior and will be with us next year.

RAY ELZEY

As a dependable center for the Airedales, Ray has all along shown the ability of a great player. A good center of Ray's calibre will be hard to replace next year.

Bob Shawhan



WALTER MARKIN

JAMES BEESON

BOB JOHNSON

BOB SHAWHAN

WALTER MARKIN

Walt is a Junior, and considering his special ability for long shots, he will be of exceptional value to the Hardwood group next year.

JAMES BEESON

Jim is noted for playing a tough game from the tip-off to the final shot of the gun. Beeson is a Junior and, we hope, will be with us next year.

BOB JOHNSON

This year the team relied on Bob because he could so easily and efficiently fill an emergency position. Bob is a Junior and promises to be an outstanding man of 1941.

BOB SHAWHAN

A strong guard, Bob could be relied upon to provide ample defense for his team mates when he was most needed. He is a Junior and has another year with the Airedales.

Won 6 Scheduled Games
Lost 12 Scheduled Games
Won 2 Blind Tourney Games
Blind Tourney—H. C. Won
Lost First Game Sectional Tourney to Pennville 32-31.

BASKETBALL

1939-1940 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Hartford City	29	There	Montpelier	30
Hartford City	25	Here	Kendallville	26
Hartford City	21	Here	Warren	22
Hartford City	18	There	Burris	26
Hartford City	28	There	Alexandria	55
Hartford City	28	Here	Tipton	31
Hartford City	41	Here	Bluffton	32
Hartford City	48	Here	Peru	27
Hartford City	36	Here	Columbia City	32
Hartford City	34	Here	Richmond	44
Hartford City	38	Berne	Decatur	29
Hartford City	30	Berne	Berne	26
Hartford City	37	There	Central	
			(Ft. Wayne)	51
Hartford City	19	There	South Side	
			(Ft. Wayne)	50
Hartford City		Here	Huntington	
Hartford City	46	There	Dunkirk	23
Hartford City	41	Here	North Side	
			(Ft. Wayne)	36
Hartford City	46	Here	Decatur	36
Hartford City	39	Here	Pendleton	24
Hartford City	29	There	Wabash	32
Hartford City	25	There	Garrett	29
Hartford City	37	There	Auburn	48

It was a close hard fought battle all the way through. The Airedales were ahead one point in the final seconds, when Pennville had one of those lucky breaks which means so much in the closing minutes of play; thus a field goal was scored in the final five seconds of play. The Airedales were never beaten in spirit or skill. But, . . . well, there will come another season next fall.

Jack Dolan

Eugene Mills Jr. Esq.
Bob Murphy

Dick Lyons

Bob Frahm



"Hank"
Coats

Student Manager, Robert Frahm.
Seated: Neal Gardner, Raymond Gilbert, Fred Landis, Gene Coats, Gene Mills.
Standing: Richard Lyons, Jack Dolan, Bill Ervin, Robert Johnson, Bob Murphy.

Raymond Gilbert

Our future Airedales —we're basing our hopes on them! The Pups had an admirable record this year, winning 12 out of 20 games. Their attitude of sportsmanship and their rising ability as a team make our prospects of the future bright.

Montpelier	15	H. C.	17
Kendalville	23	H. C.	25
Warren	12	H. C.	21
Burris (Muncie)	10	H. C.	12
Alexandria	14	H. C.	24
Tipton	13	H. C.	17
Bluffton	22	H. C.	12
Peru	18	H. C.	32
Columbia City	22	H. C.	32
Richmond	27	H. C.	16
Central (Ft. Wayne)	27	H. C.	22
South Side (Ft. Wayne)	30	H. C.	27
Huntington	26	H. C.	13
Dunkirk	20	H. C.	35
North Side (Ft. Wayne)	32	H. C.	21
Decatur	15	H. C.	25
Pendleton	15	H. C.	17
Wabash	24	H. C.	22
Garrett	23	H. C.	24
Auburn	30	H. C.	28

The Freshmen and Junior High basketball teams held an active season. Under the direction of Coach Kraning, the teams were hosts to several out of town squads, and the scores of these games prove that the boys can hold their own, come what may.

FRESHMEN

Fairmount	11	H. C.	26
Roll	14	H. C.	17
Huntington	15	H. C.	10
Marion	29	H. C.	19
Montpelier	14	H. C.	22
Ridgeville	32	H. C.	18
Fairmont	22	H. C.	26
Portland	18	H. C.	15
Montpelier	23	H. C.	21
Roll	15	H. C.	28
Ridgeville	20	H. C.	30

JUNIOR HIGH

Fairmont	16	H. C.	11
Roll	17	H. C.	10
Horace Mann, Huntington	13	H. C.	17
Dunkirk	14	H. C.	28
Montpelier	19	H. C.	26
Ridgeville	10	H. C.	25
Chester Center	21	H. C.	22
Fairmont	14	H. C.	11
Portland	16	H. C.	27
Montpelier	21	H. C.	19
Dunkirk	13	H. C.	11
Roll	21	H. C.	22
Ridgeville	24	H. C.	16



FRESHMEN

Bottom Row: Everett Stroud, Vernon Lefevre, Jack Moore, Jack Burns, Robert Overmyer.

Top Row: George Fuller, Paul Guy, Bill Strine, Walter Love, Bob Pieri.



JUNIOR HIGH

Bottom Row: Dick Anderson, Mac Myers, Junior Brown, Junior Buffenbarger, James Constable, Clarence Casterline, Oliver Dearduff, Jack Beckley.

Top Row: Bob Carmichael, Wayne Wagner, Richard Luzadder, Bob Welch, Jimmy Englehart.

Baseball

Under the leadership of Coach Barr, the Airedale baseball team was organized last fall. The team played four games—two out of town and two on the home diamond. On September 22, at Berne, the boys met defeat by a score of 7 to 5. Another game, this time at Burris, again saw the downfall of the squad, now with the score 4 to 2. However, in the remaining two games, the boys retaliated by ousting Berne 1 to 0, and Burris 3 to 1.



Watch Freddy's wind-up!

Joe seems sure of this one.



Left to right: Robert Frahm, Gene Mills, Jim Beeson, Raymond Gilbert, Junior Overmyer, Bob Murphy, Bob Johnson, Joe Ruble, Fred Williams, Jack Dolan, John Medler, Dick Lyons, Joe Perry, Fred Miller, Albert Cain, Bob Shawhan.

Gloria Pruden

Cheer Leaders

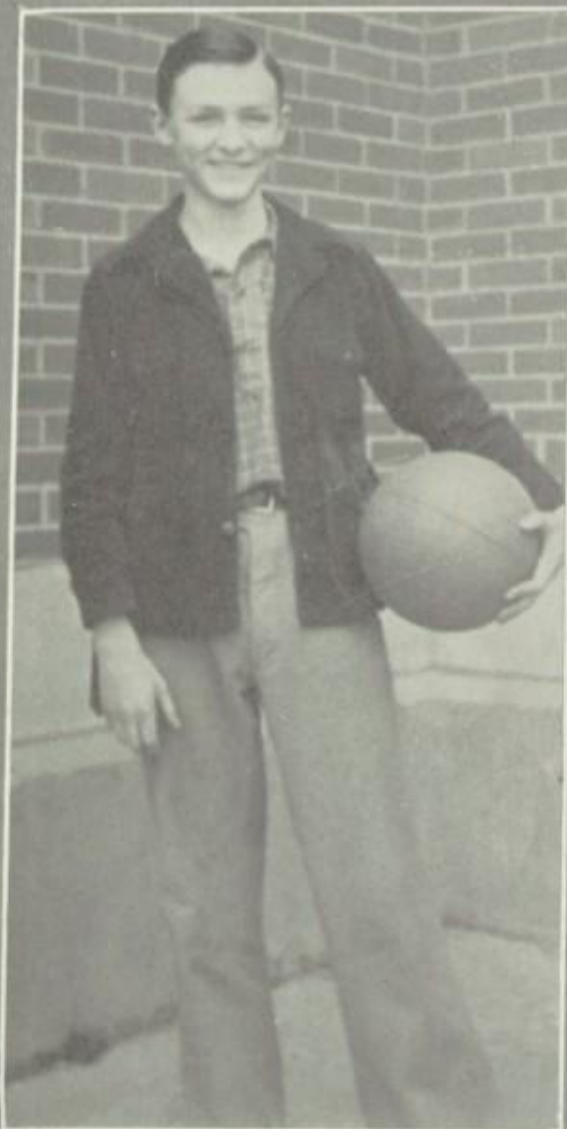
GLORIA PRUDEN

PATTY GABLE

Like another pea in a pod, Gloria Pruden, Patty's better half, contributed a lot here to the students and fans through most of the sports year.

With sincere robust energy and volume, Patty Gable directed the yelling throughout the entire basketball season.

Patty Gable



*Fred
"Scud"
Miller*

Student Managers

When the Pups grow into Airedales, we hope Bob is still their assistant.

It was "big" of "Scud" Miller to take that man size job of being assistant manager, water boy, and general flunky to our varsity squad.

ROBERT FRAHM

FRED MILLER

Boys' Gymnastics

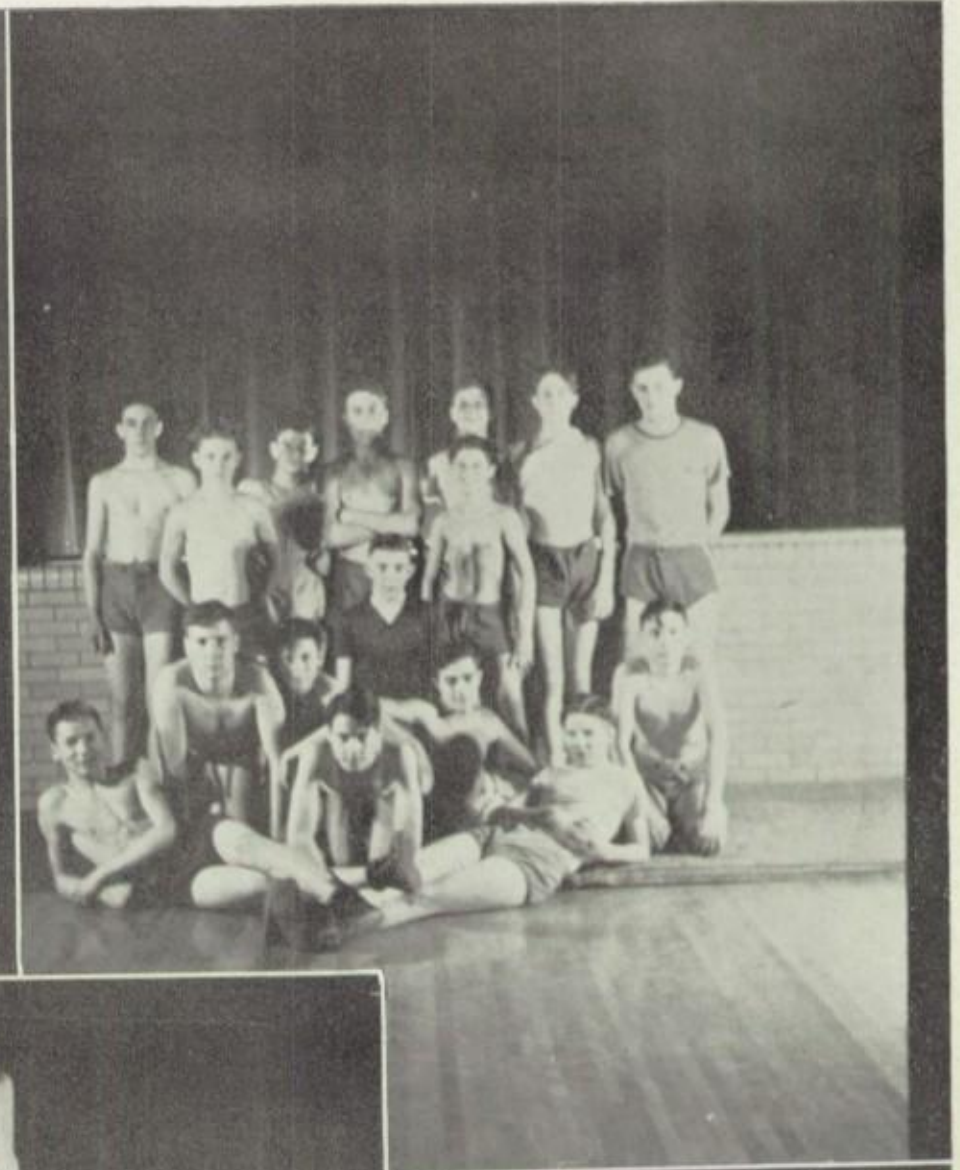
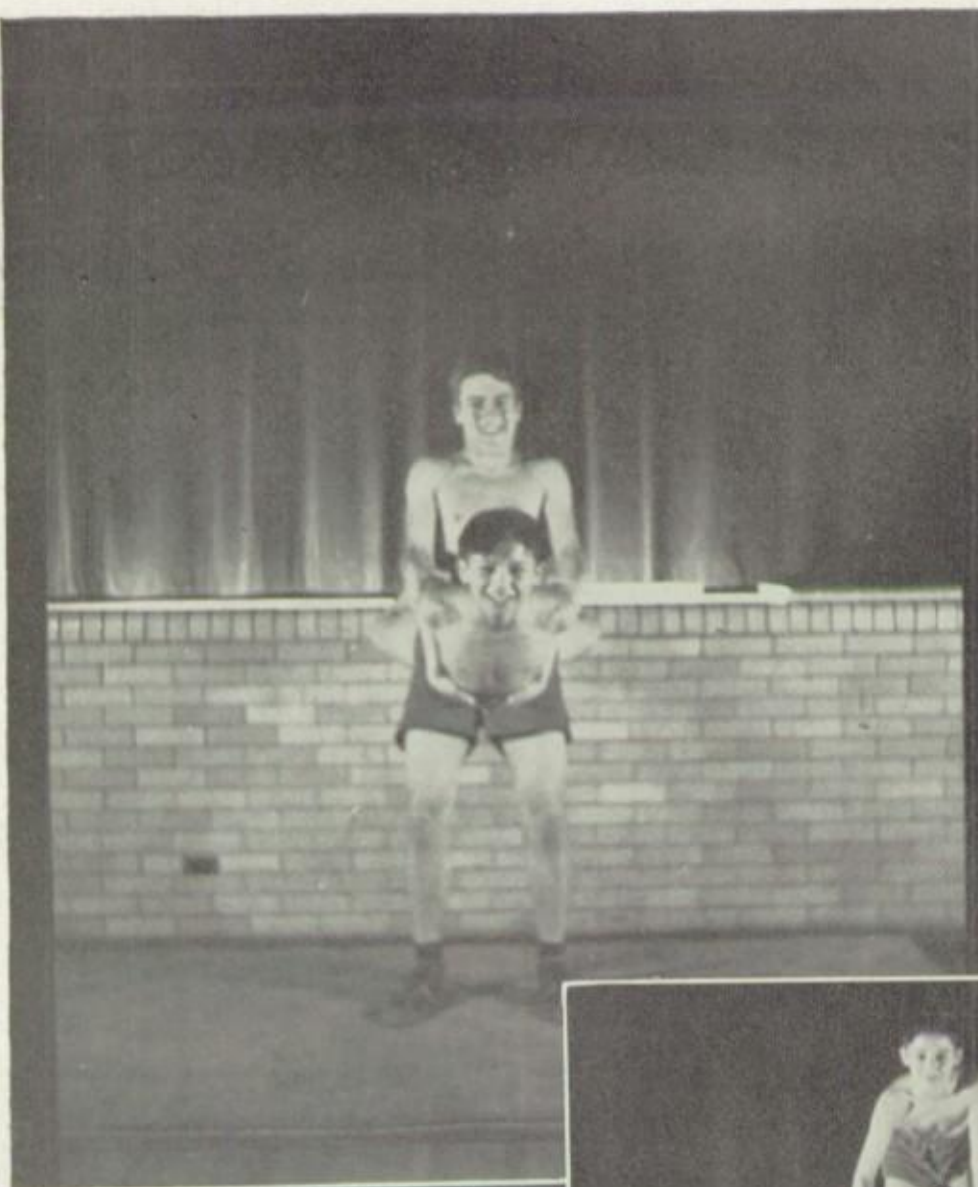
Sports, the joy of life for some boys, plays an important part in the schedule of our school. Included in our sports program are tennis, swimming, basketball, baseball, and ping-pong.

A tennis team was not organized last fall; however, our team last spring was very active. Members of last year's team were Lawrence Myers, Jr., Robert Musselman, Robert Shawhan, Joe Bonham, and James Beeson. The boys traveled to Winchester, Central of Muncie, Burris of Muncie, Decatur, Fairmount, Gas City, and Dunkirk; they were successful in more than half their matches.

Hartford High is proud of its swimming pool, for it is one of the best indoor pools in the state. Although a regular swimming team was not organized, a Red Cross life saving class under the able direction of H. L. Crouse had an active year. Those who completed the Junior Life Saving Course were Jack Harden, Victor Felger, and Harold Fuller. Jack Kimball, Paul Green, and Ray Corder renewed their certificates. These boys met four nights a week for four weeks, and passed a rigid examination in order to receive their certificates. Though not much attention is given the Red Cross Life Saving course, it is an important one and should be recognized by everyone as one of the school's most valuable adjuncts.

Intramural games were under the direction of H. L. Crouse. Under his leadership, twelve teams were organized and a tourney held. After a period of several weeks, five games being played each week, the "Yale" team was hailed the victor. Members of the team were Paul Johnsonbaugh, Don Denton, Paul Cook, Eugene Johnson, Bob Fields, Delight Wilson, Alden Balle, and Jack Jones. The "Tennessee" team was runner-up and was composed of Allan Maddox, Gene Landis, James Allmon, Junior Buffenbarger, Wayne Schache, and Bob Moore.

Thirty boys signed for the ping-pong tourney. After many hard fought games and heartbreaking scores, the finals arrived and passed, leaving Jim Maddox king of the tourney, and Jim Dolan runner-up. Ping-pong is a relatively new sport in our school and its popularity is growing rapidly.



Bert Kayel *smk*



Our Girls Sports

Mrs. Herbaugh, our girls athletic director, during the year has taught the girls in her individual classes sports and games of many types. The girls have enjoyed playing and learning how to play volleyball, ping-pong, basketball, swimming, tennis, indoor baseball, and archery. Folk dancing was also taught for the second year in our high school.

Under the splendid leadership of our director, Mrs. Herbaugh, the Girls Athletic Association was organized at the beginning of the year with Gretchen Mecklenburg, president, Judith Rawlings, vice-president, and Ruby Trussell, secretary-treasurer. Through the cooperation, self-control, and sportsmanship of the girls, the club has been given opportunity to play games with other Girls Athletic Associations.

The club journeyed to Warren to meet its first defeat with the score Warren 36, Hartford 14. A few weeks later, however, the club retaliated in a home game with the score Hartford 27, Warren 24.

At the noon hour, the girls have taken advantage of the opportunities offered them to improve their technique and skill in basketball, tennis, badminton, and ping-pong by practicing their favorite sport in the old gym.

The Girls Athletic Association has set aside one night a week for sports of many types. The purpose of the organization is to help the girls enjoy their leisure time in a profitable way, to develop physical as well as mental strength, to exercise self-control, and to practice congeniality. There are 48 members in the club.

A number of very enjoyable parties have been held in the old gym under the G. A. A. where sports, dancing, and refreshments were included in the evening's entertainment.

Under the leadership of Mrs. Herbaugh and the officers of G. A. A. the girls have developed in character, manner, and have added to their lives many companionships which will never be forgotten.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

Know all men by these presents, that we the Senior Class of 1940 of the Hartford City High School, Hartford City, Indiana, being of sound and disposing minds, realizing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death, and no longer under the influence of the faculty, do hereby make and publish this last will and testament, hereby revoking any and all former statements of the Class of '40.

Betty Denison and Maxine Brown leave either willingly or unwillingly their well-established nursery to Nelva Jeanne Hoehamer and Anna Jeanne Rich.

Max Wagner bequeaths "his eye for the basket" to the girls; he realizes the girls have an eye for him and that will hit home.

Rose Owens leaves her luck (?) to get to school on time (?) to Bud Joyce. You don't have much to work on, Bud.

Ray Elzey leaves his fighting spirit to Dick Lyons. Keep your eyes open, Dick; we still don't know what got into Ray.

Etta DeWitt leaves very unwillingly her rides around the school vicinity in a green car to anybody who rates enough.

Betty Kane leaves her ability to get around to Gene Coats. Those who know "Hank" can't see what he needs with it.

Leona Lannoy leaves her ability at skating to anyone who doesn't stiffen.

Charles Carson, alias Lord Wiggleton, leaves the way he says, "Don't paw me!" to Jim McCune.

Twinkle Weseli and Betty Reed leave their giddy, gurgling giggles to Maxine Shawhan and Rosalie Brogneaux.

Marjorie Ford, Ruth Elliott, and Betty Inman leave their sweet smiles to the whole Junior class. The magnetic force of those smiles is very fetching.

Norman Green leaves the school because nobody—not even Mr. Robbins—will run a foot-race with him.

Arnold Valerin leaves those interesting hours in Miss Elzey's room to Gretchen Mecklenburg. She wants them, you know.

Don Guy leaves his unique manner of signing his title, "Business Mgr." to the business manager of next year's Retro.

Clifford Younce and Jack Stump say they didn't use that scholastic ability which they were left last year; therefore, they are leaving it to the seventh grade so they'll have something to look forward to.

Julia Ann Burns and John Maddox leave their Sunday nights together to Mary Monfort and Walter Markin.

Don McVicker leaves his love for Latin, ladies, and loquacity to Raymond Gilbert.

John Fulton leaves his just-before-dinner nap to Bob Trussel. Bob won't appreciate it, though, because he sleeps the fourth period.

Clark Reed leaves his "Lone Star" attitude in the beginners shorthand class to anyone who thinks he can make himself heard over all the girls.

Imogene Rush leaves her aptitude in getting the hiccoughs to anyone who can drink that much water.

Marcelline Michaels leaves her familiar giggle to Betty Doster.

Howard Futrell leaves his shyness toward girls to the varsity of "41". Take heed, boys.

Fred Williams says, "I'm leaving her, but I'll be back!"

Junior Overmyer leaves magic madcap memories to many moonstruck maidens.

Albert Cain leaves a good name for all the Cain he wants to raise.

Bill Archer, Fauntine Bolner, and Richard Collins leave a few of their medals to Don Archer, Billy Kline, and Evelyn Ann Scheidler.

Bill Smith and Kenneth Smith leave their well-respected name to all the Smiths.

Jim Atkinson leaves a certain girl to anyone who is smaller than himself.

Wiladene Brown leaves that sweet smile to the Freshman class.

Frances Chick leaves her long walk from the South Side to her brother, just to keep up the family tradition.

Dick Coats says, "I'm not leaving any of myself to anyone."

Thomas Cole leaves a Sophomore girl a lonely heart.

Harriett Colhower leaves her friendly ways to her sister, Hazel.

Dorothy Creek leaves a certain amount of her tallness to Betty Taylor.
 Lucille Crumrine leaves her sweet ways to the Seniors of "41".
 Dick Eliker leaves his mornings in the office to Bob Moll.
 Gilvajane Emshwiller leaves her excellent citizenship record to the Freshmen.
 Evelyn and Helen Bennett leave their long drives to school to their sister.
 Eleanor Everhart bequeaths her long hikes across the street to school to Delores.
 Eldon Flynn is taking everything with him. (Says he'll need it.)
 Adele Gillis leaves her golden hair to Marie Wine.
 Norma Hammitt is giving up the whole school so she can devote her time to the ice cream business.
 Richard Jones leaves his ability to master anything to Bill Ervin, who is already carrying on the good work.
 John Lieber will leave his ability to be heard over the mike to some worthy member of the Junior class.
 Kenneth Luzadder leaves his way of rolling his eyes to Bill Long.
 Bob Minneman leaves his place and office of Captain in the band to some well-deserving senior of 1941.
 Margaret Wunderlin leaves to the mid-years a pamphlet entitled "Stay in School".
 Wilma Woolard leaves her technique in chewing gum during English class to Gail Hammitt.
 Michael Willman leaves his masculine build to Fred Miller.
 Wilma Williams and Gertrude Cook leave their good natured ways to Martha McColly and Marjorie Kreigbaum.
 Wentzel Bales leaves his heftiness to Philip Gable.
 Mary Emma Williams leaves the keys to typing room to whoever gets there first.
 Rex Swoveland leaves his ability to husk corn to some runner-up in Mr. Connelly's agriculture class.
 Marjorie Stump is taking all she has with her ("Come on, Chip; play me a lullaby.")
 Wayne Steinhilber leaves his ability to grow and control a misplaced eyebrow to Junior Beason.
 Phyllis Stallsmith leaves her seat in health class with strict orders to keep up the gossip. That's easy.
 Glen Snyder will leave the school to anybody. Who wants it?
 Georgia Shrieve leaves Maxine Shawhan a lesson on, "How to chew gum the noiseless way."
 Betty Short leaves her job in the office to anyone as efficient as she.
 Vera Schweier says, "I'll leave my up and coming sister a locker all to herself for a few years".
 Mary Louise Scheidler leaves her extensive abilities to Phyllis Myers.
 Lois Russell leaves her personality, of which she has plenty, to all the Senior girls of "41".
 DeVerel Ridgeway leaves his brother a reserved seat in the office.
 Betty Pursiful leaves the candy sales in charge of Eileen Streib.
 Bob Price is just leaving. "Come on, Vera."
 Betty Peck and Margie Parker leave their good times to Charlotte Fennig and Marilyn Jenner.
 Joe Perry leaves only his name to his sister.
 Nedra O'Connell and Laura Jane Moore leave their quiet ways to some of the boisterous sophomores.
 John Medler says, "Leave me alone."
 John Mecklenburg leaves his art of making mountains out of mole hills to anyone who does not understand verbs.
 Robert Melick leaves his ability to graduate in three and a half years to anyone who is that smart. Good for you, Bud.
 Marie Love leaves a vacant seat at the typewriter in the office. See Mr. Good.
 Fon Etta Larmore leaves her smiling ways to Beulah Dodds.
 Joseph Lannoy says, "Why should I leave anything? We pay taxes."
 Irene Lambiotte gladly bequeaths her long walks to school to her sister, Georgette.
 Marion Kellogg leaves, never to return again, he hopes!

Frances Knecht leaves the noon basketball games to anyone who can eat in such a short time and still gain weight.

Sidney Bedwell leaves his seat near Mr. Benson in sociology class to some fortunate Junior.

LaVada Claytor leaves her habit of being absent from school to Ruth Miller.

Jim Creager leaves those too-too divine freckles to his sister, Betty. He says he wants to keep the allure in the family.

James Hornbaker leaves all his grades above 75 to Don Denton.

Esther Hornbaker gives all her half day vacations to anyone with enough credits.

Lucille Hall woefully passes on her "come hither" look to Wanda Tatman.

James Grimes bequeaths his curly locks to Bob Johnson.

Norma Jean Garver says, "I haven't anything that I don't want. I'm taking myself home."

Odus Elwood leaves his friendship with Mr. Benson. Stand back, girls.

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CLASS PROPHECY OF 1940

It is my extreme good fortune to have an uncle who is an archeologist, and at the same time to be his favorite niece. Because of this latter factor, he invited me to take a friend of my choosing, and accompany him to Egypt where he was to open the recently discovered tomb of an ancient family.

There were many strange and wierd tales told about the tomb, but being ultra-modern in our beliefs, naturally we scoffed at the tales which we believed had been created by the strong imaginations of the simple Egyptian people.

Upon our arrival in Egypt we took lodging in a native home near the place of our work. The family begged us not to open the tomb, but we ignored their warnings and proceeded with our labors.

After many weeks of excavation the tomb was opened, and as Uncle Dick was looking over the various parts of the tomb, my friend and I wandered away from the rest of our group.

Soon we approached a small passage which led into a room marked off by heavily jewelled curtains. Later we were told that this was the tomb of the king's youngest and most beautiful daughter.

Expecting nothing strange, we parted the curtains and entered the room. The room was studded with magnificent jewels which glittered in the dim light with a foreboding meaning.

As we gazed about the room we were startled to see a very luminous circle of light surrounding what appeared to be the hand of a person. The hand began to move and the path the index finger traced formed letters which, after much difficulty, we were able to piece together and to realize the fact that we were to have the hand to write out any facts which we wished to know concerning the future.

After conversing with my friend and realizing that Class Day was near, I said aloud (not even expecting a result), "Tell us where our classmates will be in 1960 and what they will be doing."

The hand faltered and then, began to write this which we pass on to you as the prophecy for the class of 1940 as revealed by that occult hand:

In 1960 you will see that:

Etta DeWitt is sole owner of the "Chevrolet Company" in Punkinville.

Bill Archer is in jail, serving time for speeding. (Of course we're not surprised. He's tried so hard to break his neck or something.)

Gertrude Cook and Irene Lambiotte are running a home for teachers who went insane trying to teach the class of '40 the ins and outs of books.

Betty Kane has gone to Hollywood. It is rumored that she is another Ann Sheridan. Her leading man whom she looks upon very favorably is Charles Carson.

Don McVicker is a professor at Roll University. He is at present on a lecture tour reviewing his latest classic entitled, "Women! Oh Boy!"

Jim Atkinson has filled the vacancy as president of the Citizens State Bank made by the retirement of James Cronin.

Sidney Bedwell and Kenneth Smith are managers of the Flee Cure Dog Kennels on the Isle of Capri.

Helen and Evelyn Bennett have discovered an easier way of sitting down in hoop skirts.

Fauntine Bolner has accepted a position as trombonist in Rita Rio's orchestra now playing an engagement at Montpelier.

Maxine Brown is writing "Through the Hoop" for the Hartford City News Times.

Wiladean Brown and Dorothy Creek are assistants to the Lone Ranger. I guess you'd call them "heigh-ho" girls.

Albert Cain is now busily engaged raising little ca—nines.

Margie Parker and Betty Peck are now in Hawaii sitting under the Palms and feeling quite at home.

Dick Coats is manager of an Escort Bureau in Muncie and is ably supported by his glamour boy gigilos, John Maddox, Robert Minneman, James Grimes, and Clifford Younce.

Thomas Cole has finally been persuaded by his father to become a—farmer.

Betty Short is working in Franklin, Indiana, where she is employed by A. Porter and Co.

Jack Stump has been named as the Olympic swimming champion at Berlin, Germany.

Rex Swoveland has succeeded Mr. Connelly as agriculture teacher at dear old Hartford City High.

Max Wagner is teaching his quintet how to fake fouls.

Fred Williams, who has been in training at a boxing lodge near Winchester, will meet the still undefeated Joe Louis in two weeks. Happy landings, Fred.

Betty Denison has been elected President of the United States and will take the office in 1960. Well, well, it seems that women are beginning to take their place in the political world after all.

Georgia Shrieve and Margaret Wunderlin are working in Morris' at Dunkirk.

Mary Emma Williams has written a best seller entitled, "Come With the Calm", a take-off of "Gone With the Wind".

Clark Reed has written a new shorthand book in which the shorthand is translated beneath the characters. He says it's sure to revolutionize the shorthand book.

Michael Willman and Wentzel Bales are employed by the A. B. C. lot in Hollywood where they are designing model airplanes.

Marjorie Stump has been named president of the Y. W. C. A. in San Francisco.

Marcelline Michael has found her dream man, John Mecklenburg.

Adele Gillis is conducting a course which she calls "How to Master Chemistry in Ten Easy Lessons".

Joe Lannoy is the mayor of Frog Town. He is the successor of John Medler.

Fon Etta Larmore is the head clerk in Laura Jane Moore's Sure-to-Fit clothing store.

Kenneth Luzadder has just bought Gray's Standard Oil Service Station.

Nedra O'Connell is in Germany reviewing the facts of Hitler's fall from power.

Junior Overmyer has purchased an interest in the Bob Hughes Cleaning and Pressing Establishment. (It won't cost so much to look nice now, he decided.)

Rose Owens is private secretary to Glen Snyder, who is manager of the local I. G. S. We wonder if that is something like W. P. A.

Joe Perry and DeVerel Ridgeway are highway commissioners.

Robert Price is the manager of the Morris store in Jasper.

Betty Reed and Twinkle Weseli are getting names on a petition prohibiting jitter-bugs within the city limits.

Lois Russell and Vera Schweier have been named the model housewives of Indiana. Bill Smith and Wayne Steinhilber are fortunate to be the objects of their affections.

Harriett Colhower is the roller skating champion of the Selma rink.

Dick Collins has established his well known orchestra in the tropics where he is teaching the natives how to swing.

Julia Ann Burns is the president of the Civic Welfare in New York City.
 Jim Creager has just perfected his scientific cure for freckles.
 Lucille Crumrine is now teaching business education in the local high school.
 Ruth Elliott is the Shadow's stand-in—she does his laughing.
 Dick Eliker has invented a new type of Walk-a-Lot shoes, especially suited for bicycles, to be worn by newspaper carriers.
 Odus Elwood and Eldon Flynn are now full fledged movie cowboys and are being featured at the Jefferson Theatre.
 Gilvajane Emshwiller has written a sequel to "In My Solitude" and has entitled it, "I Am Alone".
 Arnold Valerin has taken Eleanor Everhart to the land of olives.
 Marjorie Ford, Lucille Hall, and Wilma Woolard are waitresses in Phyllis Stall-smith's tea shop.
 John Fulton is curtain manager of the vaudeville shows in Trenton.
 Howard Futrell is coach at Northwestern.
 Norma Jean Garver and Esther Hornbaker are participating in the home talent show interrogatively named "Why Are We Here?"
 Donald Guy is judge of the juvenile court in Roll because of his great understandings.
 Norma Hammitt is earning her daily bread as the jovial fat lady in Coleman Bros. Circus.
 Suzanna Howerter is the private secretary of the President of the United States who is our old schoolmate, John Lieber.
 Richard Jones, James Hornbaker, Marion Kellogg, and Francis Knecht are guards at Sing Sing. They are at present, however, looking for an inside job.
 Imogene Rush is a teacher in Kentucky and I am told she is having great difficulty in teaching the hill-billies to spell "taters" with a "p".
 LaVada Claytor is traveling abroad on the royalties which she received from her recently published best seller, "How to Burn the Candle at Both Ends".
 Ray Elzey is wondering how to beat Doug Corrigan and still fly forward.
 Norman Green is now preaching on his favorite doctrine, "How to Smoke and Still be Windy".
 Mary Louise Scheidler is the main attraction on the Hour of Charm. Her voice thrills the entire nation.
 Robert Melick has just obtained his F.B.M. degree—you know—Fuller Brush Man.
 Leona Lannoy is now the most sought after model in New York.
 Betty Inman and Betty Pursiful have received honorary life time appointments as ushers at the sectionals.
 Eva Marie Love and Wilma Williams have opened their very own Candy Shoppe. They say they owe their success to experience obtained as candy girls in high school.

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